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SITUATION IS NOT ALARMING

Official Advice From Skeena
Minimize the Alleged
Indian Outbreak

AUTHORITIES COMPETENT

Believed That Trouble Will be
Settled by the District
Constables

INVESTIGATION seems to indicate that the alleged revolt of the Babine lake Indians, as reported in telegrams received at Vancouver by the Canadian government, was much exaggerated. However, prompt measures are being taken by the British Columbia government to cope with any disturbance that may be occasioned consequent to the destruction of the barricades made by the Indians across the Babine and other streams leading to the spawning grounds.

No militia will be necessary. Hon. Richard McBride, premier, said the government had received several messages giving advice of the occurrences at Babine and from there it would appear that the earlier despatches had exaggerated the situation. The government is acting promptly to deal with any disturbance that may arise, though, and Mr. Hicks-Beech, the stipendiary magistrate at Hazelton, accompanied by several constables, and by Mr. R. E. Loring, the Indian agent at Hazelton, will leave tomorrow for the scene.

"Will there be any necessity for the despatch of militia?" asked the reporter. "None whatever," replied the premier. "The local officials will be able to deal with the situation, and the situation, continued the premier, and it is expected that they will secure a settlement of the trouble without difficulty."

Babine lake, the scene of the reported trouble, is approximately forty miles from the headwaters of the Skeena. The last report of the Indian department gives the full number of Indians in that agency as 251, all told, men, women and children. With reference to the reported trouble between the Babine natives and the Dominion government, fishery officials, Mr. H. A. Maclean, K. C., deputy attorney general who was waited upon by a Colonist reporter today stated, in reply to inquiry on the subject, that official communications had been received by telegraph from the packers' association and also from Provincial Constable the Kirby at Hazelton to the effect that upon the Dominion fisheries officials attempting to make an arrest of two or three men for infringement of the law as regards the blocking of the river by means of weirs for the purpose of trapping salmon otherwise than in the manner prescribed by law, their authority was resisted by the Indians, who to the number of about 150, refused to allow the men to be arrested, the matter being one entirely between the Dominion government and the Indians.

"No steps," Mr. Maclean added, "have yet been taken, beyond instructing the provincial constable to render all the assistance in his power to uphold the law, as the government is not yet fully advised regarding the facts of the case. As regards the despatch of troops to the scene of the disturbance Mr. Maclean does not anticipate that such a course will become necessary but thinks that a quiet settlement will be shortly arrived at."

"It will be remembered that on the late fall of last year news was brought down by an official who had just visited the Babine lake, to the effect that the position as regards the Indians was far from satisfactory and showing in his report the infringement of the interests of the whites upon those of the natives to the serious detriment of the latter in the manner affecting to a serious degree their means of livelihood."

The matter was fully investigated and threshed out in the columns of the Colonist and it became apparent that what between the close season imposed upon the Indians for a term of years and the embargo placed upon fishing, according to Indian methods, before sufficient measures had been taken for the provision of an adequate substitute which would enable the Indians in all the various directions to obtain their accustomed food supply of cured fish for

the winter it was not improbable that trouble would ensue.

The provincial government, after careful investigation, very wisely saw fit to suspend the law relating to beaver hunting for the time being, that being from time immemorial Indians source of revenue and purchasing power; but the question of what substitute shall be made for his winter food supply of fish if it be proved needful for the sake of the fisheries and canneries to prohibit Indian fishing in the region of the salmon spawning grounds is a matter which as predicted, seems to be forcing itself with some urgency upon the consideration of the Dominion governments at the moment.

A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian affairs, when seen yesterday by a Colonist reporter, said he had received a message from Mr. R. E. Loring, the agent of his department at Hazelton, and had reasons to believe that the report sent from the Skeena river regarding a revolt of the Indians had been much exaggerated. He received a message from Mr. Loring to the effect that the officer was to leave for the scene and expected to be able to cope with the situation. The message read: "May overcome trouble. Going to Babine next Saturday."

Mr. F. S. Hussey of the provincial police, when seen, said the provincial government has taken all action that was necessary. Constables were being sent to the scene with the magistrate at Hazelton.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 30.—(Special) There is little news in the Babine Indian situation. Advice from Hazelton state that the Indian agent and stipendiary magistrate have left there for the scene of the trouble. No word has yet been received from Ottawa, though some of the local militiamen say they would not be surprised to be called upon at any time.

LIEUT. GOV. CLARKE

CAUSES COMMENT

But the Scholarly Pollock and
Arnold White Show Another
Aspect

LONDON, Aug. 30.—Referring to the speech of Lieutenant-Governor Clarke of Ontario at the medical congress at Toronto, the Sunday Sun says: "To the like effect is a letter from Sir David Hunter as follows: 'I have been deeply and painfully impressed in revisiting the Mother Land with the widespread misconception and ignorance on colonial questions, which to my mind constitute a grave menace to the Empire.'"

Arnold White in the Sunday Sun, on "The Income Tax and the Empire," says the cost of sending the battleship Dominion to Canada is about \$16,000, exclusive of the injuries she received in grounding, but it was worth the money to give to the taxpayers of Britain an object lesson in empire-building.

A Great Lawyer's Views
Sir Frederick Pollock, in a letter to the Times on the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario's remarks, says: "As to the ignorance about Canadian affairs in London, I do not doubt there is a great deal of it." Sir Frederick wonders whether Governor Clarke tried questioning the intelligent Londoners about their own local government, and says he should like him to question a few intelligent Canadians about India and the crown colonies. "The truth is, no part of the British Empire can afford to reproach the others with ignorance."

Joint High Commission
Lord Strathcona informed a representative of the Standard that he does not think the organization of a joint high commission would be necessary. "From what I know," said His Lordship, "the imperial government is as anxious that all outstanding disputes should be settled as is the Dominion government, and the Canadian people may rest assured that no action will be taken on this side that does not consider their best interests. Any action Lord Elgin may take will be based on the view of those best qualified to represent the interests of Canada."

Rhodes Scholars From Canada
Among the newly elected Rhodes scholars are the following from Canada: R. C. Read, Ontario; Arthur Moxon, Nova Scotia; A. G. Cameron, Prince Edward Island; Ralph Preeze, New Brunswick; A. R. MacLeod, Quebec; Austen Bothwell, from the Northwest; J. J. Penny, Newfoundland; Stuart Beech, Manitoba.

Horaleys Dictum Criticized
The Mail says Dr. Josiah Oldfield, an eminent specialist and the head of the Lady Margaret Hospital, does not at all agree with Sir Victor Horsley's dictum as to the worthlessness of alcohol.

LADY CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN.

Wife of the Imperial Premier Dies at a Famous Health Resort.

Marionbad, Aug. 30.—Lady Campbell-Bannerman, wife of the British premier, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, died today. She had been an invalid for years.

The late Lady Campbell-Bannerman was the daughter of Major General Sir Charles Bruce, K. C. B., and was married to the present premier in 1890.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S TOUR
His Excellency Receives a Loyal and Hearty Welcome at Saskatoon.

Saskatoon, Aug. 29.—Earl Grey, governor-general, arrived in Saskatoon by special train at 12:20 today. He was met at the depot by the mayor and a large crowd of citizens and school children. An address was read to His Excellency by the mayor of Saskatoon, to which a hearty and thoughtful reply was made by the Governor-General, and delivered with vigor. Immediately following the address and singing by the school children, Earl Grey retired. His injured eye was covered but he very much improved. The party proceeded to Prince Albert, and will spend tomorrow in that vicinity.

CONCLUSION OF CHEHALIS CASE

Evidence and Argument are Now
Closed and Court Will
Consider

DECISION BE GIVEN TODAY

Big Deal in Vancouver Island
Timber---Indian Chiefs
Home Again

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 30.—Argument of counsel on the Chehalis disaster was concluded before the court of inquiry this afternoon.

Mr. Bodwell spoke for nearly four hours and quoted many authorities to show that it was the duty of the captain of an overtaken ship to observe due precaution but submitted that Capt. Howse had used none whatever.

Messrs. Martin and Peters both addressed the court on behalf of the Union S. S. Co. Mr. Peters said that the evidence of the Victoria's officers was contradicted by their own log book, and he claimed that alterations and erasures had been made in the same before it was brought into court. At the conclusion of argument, court adjourned till 11 o'clock tomorrow morning when judgment will be given.

Big Island Timber Deal

Mr. T. F. McGuigan, broker, of this city, has just returned from a visit to the East on behalf of a local syndicate which owns extensive timber districts in the province. While absent he sold 100,000 acres of timber land on Vancouver Island to a Pittsburgh syndicate, who bought for speculative purposes.

Chief Joe Capilano and Chief Charlie Cowichan returned this morning from their visit to King Edward, and were given a rousing reception by the Indians of the district. They were met by a large procession and a band at the depot, and Chief Joe made a speech. While overwhelmed with wonder with all he had seen, he confessed he was disappointed at the result of his mission, as there was no further indication that the wrongs of the Indians would be redressed.

North Vancouver's Progress

The first street cars have been tried on the new North Vancouver line of the B. C. Electric Railway Co., and work about fifteen minutes. A regular service will be inaugurated Monday.

Bank clearings for the week are \$2,521,781, an increase of about \$700,000 over the corresponding week of last year.

Lawyer and Socialist Will Debate

Mr. Geo. F. Kane has accepted Mr. J. H. Hawthorthwaite's challenge to debate the Kaia Island deal, and the two will probably meet in the city hall here on Labor Day.

QUEBEC JUDGES WERE APPOINTED

At Yesterday's Meeting of the
Cabinet---H. M. S. Dominion's Injuries

OTTAWA, Aug. 30.—At today's meeting of the cabinet Messrs. Demers, M. P. (Iberville), McCorkill, provincial treasurer of Quebec, and Lapointe of Montreal were appointed superior court judges. Nothing was done about the by-elections.

Mr. Stewart's Long Journey

E. Stewart, superintendent of forestry, has reached Dawson by way of the Mackenzie, Porcupine and Yukon rivers. He went to the Arctic circle for the purpose of acquiring some knowledge of its timber resources. Mr. Stewart will attend the forestry convention at Vancouver.

A Peaceful Invasion

Permission was given by the customs department today to Troop G of the United States cavalry to enter Canada next week with arms, accoutrements and horses for the purpose of attending the fair at Sherbrooke.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier today consented to open the Central Canada fair on September 10.

R. L. Borden left for Halifax this afternoon. Lamoth, clerk of the crown in chancery, has returned from British Columbia where he has been looking into the system of preparation of provincial voters' lists.

Professor Prince, commissioner of fisheries, returned to Ottawa today.

H. M. S. Dominion's Injuries

Quebec, Aug. 30.—The battleship Dominion, which touched bottom when coming up the Bay of Chaleur, is said to be in a much more serious condition than generally believed, and is making water in all but three of her tanks. Experts are coming out from England to examine her before she leaves.

A MURDEROUS VILLAIN'S ACT.

Infernal Machine Discovered in the Hold of a Sea-Going Ship.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 30.—An infernal machine was discovered today in the hold of the steamship Eagle Point. The

vessel plies between this city and London. The machine, which endangered the lives of Capt. Robertson and a crew of thirty men, was discovered in the after hold by a stevedore who carried it into the river, and as it sank, it exploded, sending a column of water fifty feet into the air.

SHORT WEIGHT IN LARD.

Big Packing Companies Not Content With Palming Off Embalmed Beef.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—City Sealer Joseph Grein today directed that suits be instituted against Armour & Co., Nelson Morris & Co., Swift & Co., and the Anglo-American Provision company, on a charge of selling short weight lard. The city sealer declared that yesterday he and one of his inspectors purchased five pound pails of lard at the stock yards, and found them to be from three to twelve ounces short in weight.

TURKO-BULGARIAN FRONTIER.

Troops of Both Countries Resting After Numerous Conflicts.

Constantinople, Aug. 30.—A Turko-Bulgarian commission has been appointed to delimit the portion of the frontier of the vilayet of Adrianople, which is in dispute, and which led to a somewhat sharp fight recently between the soldiers guarding the Bulgarian post at Sudjuk and the guard on duty at the Turkish post of Derwish Moglia. Turkish and Bulgarian troops have been conducting with one another from the points they respectively occupied after a fight, but a suspension of hostilities has now been agreed upon pending an investigation. The delimitation in the artillery of the Second Turkish army corps, whose headquarters are at Adrianople, are being remedied by the despatch there of ten batteries of new Krupp quick-firing guns.

CANADIAN PACIFIC IS THE CHAMPION

The New Empresses Hold Blue
Ribbon For North Atlantic
Routes

RIPOUSKI, Que., Aug. 30.—The importance to the world at large of the Canadian route between Europe and America was demonstrated by the arrival here this afternoon of the R. M. S. Empress of Ireland bringing the Anglo-Canadian mails, and the Blue Ribbon of the North Atlantic by both routes; either by the north or south of Newfoundland, now belongs to the Atlantic service of the Canadian Pacific Railway company.

The Empress of Ireland's time from Liverpool to Rimouski, 5 days 22 hours, or from Innisrahull, Moville, Ireland, to Rimouski, was 5 days ten hours and thirty minutes, which is four hours faster than that made by any steamship of this or any other line between these points.

She has on board 290 saloon, 322 second cabin, and 832 third class passengers, a total of 1453, and the mails for China and Japan. The mails for these two latter countries were not discharged here, but were carried to Quebec on the steamer, where they will be immediately put on the new over-the-seas mail train of the Canadian Pacific railway.

Young Lady's Untimely Death

Cornwall, Ont., Aug. 30.—The residence and barns of Joseph Pitts Sr., Maple Grove, were destroyed by fire this morning, and his daughter, Aggie, aged about fifteen, was killed and badly injured. The family were preparing for breakfast, entirely unconscious that the upper part of the house was burning, until the alarm was given by some men employed at the locks on the Cornwall canal.

Mrs. R. MacDonald, mother of Mrs. Justice Liddell, of Cornwall, who was visiting Mrs. Pitts, her sister, went upstairs at the first alarm and was rescued just in the nick of time. It is thought that Miss Pitts went upstairs and was overcome by the heat and smoke. The loss is covered by insurance.

Damage Done by Fire

London, Ont., Aug. 30.—Gerry's planing mill here was damaged by fire last night to the extent of \$25,000. Tilsonburg, Ont., Aug. 30.—Fire destroyed the forge room of the Maple Leaf harvest tool works. The damage is heavy.

MUTUAL COMPANY'S OFFICERS.

Changes Made in the Finance Committee Under the New Regime.

New York, Aug. 30.—The Herald says: Frederick Cromwell and Adrian Iselin have retired from membership of the finance committee of Mutual Life Insurance Co., though retaining for the present at least, their posts as directors.

Thomas Mulvey, president of the Emigrant Industrial Savings bank, who is one of the recently elected directors, and who was not associated with the Mutual Life during the McCurdy era, was named to fill the vacancy in the finance committee caused by Mr. Cromwell's retirement.

Dumont Clark, a lawyer who was a member of the old board, but whose record was in no wise impeached during the Armstrong inquiry, succeeds to the place on the committee vacated by Mr. Iselin. Mr. Cromwell was for many years the treasurer of the company during the McCurdy administration. After the retirement of Richard A. McCurdy, he served as acting president until the election of Charles R. Peabody.

LONDON MONEY.

London, Aug. 30.—The Bank of England's rate of discount remained unchanged today at 3 1/4 per cent.

GREAT SHOOTING AT OTTAWA

British Columbia Team Covered
Themselves With Glory
Yesterday

WON THE LONDON CUP

The Province Bound to Have
Representatives on Bisley
Team

OTTAWA, Ont., Aug. 30.—(Special).—The Bisley team for next year will be announced tomorrow.

Today's first stage of the Governor General's match which counts in the aggregate for Bisley, was shot. Several Western men stand well up. Sgt. Graham, 48th Toronto, is first so far with 190; Brayshaw, Victoria, third, 194; Cunningham, Vancouver, seventh; Boulton, Vancouver, ninth; Moscrop, Vancouver, tenth. If these men keep up their average tomorrow they will be sure of being on the Bisley team. Excellent weather conditions prevailed today.

The British Columbia team covered themselves with glory by capturing the London Merchants' cup with the splendid score of 685. The match consists of provincial teams of 8 men, ten shots each, at 800 and 900 yards, with a possible 800. The first prize, a cup and \$80, went to British Columbia with a score of 685.

The team consisted of Forest 83, McHarg 81, Cunningham 80, Boulton 81, Moscrop 84, Caven 91, Carr 85, Brayshaw 81. Second prize, \$60, went to Nova Scotia with a score of 630. Third \$40, to Quebec with 635 of a score, and next in order were Ontario, 620; Alberta 625; Manitoba, 621; New Brunswick, 599.

The Dominion match, seven shots each at 600 and 800 yards. The cup and \$30 went to Sgt. Kelly, 10th Toronto; \$18 to Caven, Victoria; \$12 to McIlrath, Vancouver; Brayshaw and Richardson, Victoria, each ten dollars; Carr, Victoria, \$8; Cunningham, Vancouver, \$6; Moscrop, Vancouver, \$5; Boulton, Vancouver, \$4; Fisher, R. M. Rangers, each \$4.

THE GREAT DEMOCRAT IS HOME.

Mr. Bryan Accorded a Warm Welcome on Reaching America.

New York, Aug. 30.—Mr. Bryan's entry into New York this afternoon was a series of ovations, beginning with his landing at the Battery at four o'clock, and reaching an early climax when he arrived at the Victoria hotel an hour and fifteen minutes later. Here the homecoming Nebraskan was fairly mobbed by the thousands of persons who had gathered outside the entrance and hundreds who had forced their way into the corridors. Finally an entrance was effected by the police and Mr. Bryan reached the lobby stairs. He was called upon for a speech and then the crowd surged on, cheering, lustily all the while. Mr. Bryan lifted his hand and secured silence.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he began, "I believe that later in the evening is the time for me to make a speech, and you must not expect one now. I am trying to get home, but I have been traveling so much of late that for the life of me I can hardly tell where home is."

"In Washington," called an enthusiastic auditor. "The White House," shouted another. "And we are going to put you there," yelled a third. "Then everyone cheered. Mr. Bryan smiled indulgently. 'I thought my home was in Nebraska,' he continued. 'Only until 1905,' shouted the crowd."

"Some said it was in Missouri," added Mr. Bryan, amid laughter. "I've about come to the conclusion that if I find fields like this everywhere, I don't care where home is. Soon I am going to take another course in college, for at a recent gathering in London, where several languages were spoken, I felt constrained to make excuses because I could speak but one, but I would have to know every language in the world to tell you how much I thank you."

Mr. Bryan then stepped down from the stairs to shake hands with a few of his personal friends who crowded about him. Several thousand persons passed in line, and Mr. Bryan shook hands with them all.

The reception lasted more than an hour, when Mr. Bryan retired to his apartments and had dinner with his family and a few intimate friends. He then took a brief rest before proceeding to Madison Square garden.

NEUCHWANG'S CUSTOMS DUES.

Present System of Collecting Threatens the Port's Existence.

Newchwang, Aug. 30.—Japan's notification that it will continue duty as a free port until China provides customs houses on the Russian frontier, resulted today in the chamber of commerce here petitioning the consular body to suspend the collection of duties at Newchwang pending the regulation of Manchurian customs. The chamber of commerce maintains that the present condition threatens the existence of Newchwang.

STRIKE SITUATION UNSETTLED

And the Probabilities Uncertain—Supposed Suicide of a Murderer.

Madrid, Aug. 30.—The strictest censorship is observed in regard to strike news, but it is known that the movement is extending at Santander and Bilbao.

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WRECK ON LAKE WINNIPEG.

Steamer Foundered, With Captain and
Five Other Persons.

West Selkirk, Man., Aug. 29.—News reached here this afternoon of a shipwreck on Lake Winnipeg. The steamer "Princess" on Sunday last, after a long fight with the elements, sank to the bottom, and Captain John Hawes with five other persons, found watery graves.

The details of the tragic occurrence read like a thrilling episode from the annals of ocean tragedies. Besides the Captain, five others were drowned, namely, John McDonald and Yola Johnson, of Selkirk, both stewardesses; Joe Aronson, of Poplar Point, Loftus Gudmanson, of Selkirk and Charles Graves, of Gilo.

The steamer left Poplar Point, which is situated about 200 miles up the lake, at 4:30 last Saturday afternoon. She was bound for Selkirk and carried a cargo of fish. On Sunday the steamer was plying between George and Swampy Islands. After passing George Island the crew very rough, and shortly afterwards she sprang a leak. All hands worked hard to keep the water down, but the most strenuous efforts were futile. At about 3 o'clock in the morning the firemen and engineers were compelled to abandon the fire rooms. The water by this time was about up to their necks, and they had only clung to their posts with the grim determination of men who were fighting for their own lives and those of the crew and passengers. After the fire room was abandoned, the water soon smothered the fires, and about 1:30 o'clock the engines stopped and the steamer was left at the mercy of the waves.

At the critical juncture the boats were prepared and the crew and passengers made ready to cast away from the steamer as a last resort. Suddenly, about 4:15, the steamer gave a great lurch, towering waves struck her, breaking her almost in two, and the smoke stack went down through the bottom of the hull. The first lurch was followed by another equally awe inspiring, and the hull broke in two and the steamer floated off on the heavy sea. It was then that Loftus Gudmanson and Charles Graves met their death, going down with the machinery. They followed a thrilling period, the crew and passengers endeavoring to reach the lifeboats. Mrs. Joe Sinclair had two small children in her arms, and the mate, Alex. Joyce, at once went to her assistance. Mrs. Sinclair threw one of the children into the boat, the mate caught hold of the woman and she flung the other child into the boat also. At this time the yawl boat was aloft on the deck. There followed a mad rush for the life boats. All who were not in the yawl boats with the exception of the captain and the two stewardesses attempted to get into the lifeboat. For some reason the captain would not go aft and the two ladies followed his example. Then another wave struck the deck, and when the wave had spent itself, the life boat went off with ten persons in her, who say that the deckhouse was in pieces. When last seen, the captain and the two stewardesses were standing on the deckhouse forward.

Captain Hawes was an old sea captain and stuck to his ship to the last. The steamer went to pieces about 4:30 in the morning, just as the first faint glimmer of dawn was stealing over the angry waters, about twelve miles due west of Swampy Island. After about

three hours' pulling in the heavy sea, the two boats, one containing ten persons and the other six, landed on Swampy Island. They started a fire and spent Sunday there. The ice chest of the Princess floated ashore and fortunately contained about ten pounds of roast beef and a few pickles. These, with the fish that washed ashore from the wreck, constituted the bill of fare.

Monday morning as the sea had calmed down, the survivors rowed over to Cox's light house. Some of the crew went back to Swampy Island to look for the bodies of the dead. They were only able to find one, that of Joe Aronson, a shore hand from Poplar Point.

RECALL OF TROOPS DEMANDED.

Persia Doesn't Like the Movements of the "Sick Man of Europe."

Constantinople, Aug. 29.—The Persian ambassador here has been informed from Teheran that Turkish troops have occupied the Persian district of Margavar, comprising some 25 villages. The Turkish government denies that the alleged encroachment has taken place, but nevertheless the ambassador has lodged an energetic protest with the Porte and has demanded the recall of the troops.

STOCK MARKET WAS STRONG

Despite Many Adverse Conditions and Large Local Drafts.

New York, Aug. 29.—In the face of further adverse conditions, such as the Philadelphia failure, and heavier drains on local financial resources, today's stock market for the greater part of the session exhibited an unexpectedly strong undertone. This condition was brought about largely by the heavy volume of supporting orders with which business opened, coupled with assurances that the harm wrought by the closing of the Philadelphia institution would be almost entirely local in its effect.

A ROYAL BIRTHDAY.

Hamilton John Agmondesham Cuffe, is the family name of the Earl of Desart, who was born August 20, 1848. The Earl is a descendant of the Cuffes, of Creesh St. Michael, Somerset, who received a coat of arms from Henry III while the founder of the Irish branch of the family received a grant of land in County Cork from Queen Elizabeth. The present holder of the title received his education at Radley college and at Trinity college, Cambridge, and after graduating from the latter institution spent three years in the English navy. He later began the practice of law and has held a number of high positions in the government, among them those of assistant solicitor to the treasury and the director of public prosecutions. He was married in 1876 to Lady Margaret Joan Lascelles, daughter of the Earl of Harewood.

THE EARTHQUAKE IN CHILI.

Further Heavy Shocks Are Causing Consternation.

New York, Aug. 30.—A cablegram to the Herald from Tacna, Chili, says heavy earthquake shocks have been felt throughout the district and the panic is indescribable. People are living in the public square. The first shocks lasted 30 seconds, and slighter shocks continue at intervals.

CANADIAN CATTLE
EXPORT GROWING

Forward Movement Has Never
Been So Early or Satisfactory

Winnipeg, Aug. 30.—"These are busy days for the C. P. R. stock yards," remarked H. A. Mullins, one of the leading cattle exporters of the West yesterday in an interview. "It makes a fellow rub his eyes and wonder if the yards are really the outcome of the little pens in which the cattle export trade started a few years ago. There have been days during the last two weeks when there have been 6,000 cattle in the yards and long trains of unloaded cars on the tracks."

"The forward movement of cattle has never been so early or so satisfactory for years. The winter was a very favorable one for cattle on the ranges, and this was followed by abundant rain in May and consequently a luxuriant growth of vegetation and the cattle are in prime condition."

"To give you an idea of how early the movement is I may mention that such ranchmen as the Knights and Eldridge Bros. who had not shipped a hoof before September 15th last year, are almost through with their shipping for this year. Up to date some 30,000 head of exporters have gone forward."

"Prices have been steady, and have never touched the low points of last year. Ocean space has ranged about 35 shillings to 40 shillings or about the same as last year, and has been well taken, many going out by Boston and Philadelphia because it has not been possible to get sufficient carriers out of Montreal."

"There has been no trouble in disposing of good steers and ranchers have been taking home more money than for the past three seasons. This year a great many ranchers are shipping their own stock. They secure the steers and then very frequently sell out steers and ocean space to some dealer in Winnipeg. A great many train loads have been disposed of in this way this year. It is a good arrangement for both parties; it saves the dealers the time and trouble of going to the ranges to buy and the rancher gets his cattle started, and if he does not like the price there is nothing to hinder his shipping them through to the Old Country himself."

"The free movement of cattle so early in the season will be a great relief to the railroads, as there will not be a lot of cattle trains to congest traffic when the wheat movement commences. The services of cattle trains has been very good this year. This is an all important matter to cattlemen, as the big shrink is always on the long railway journeys."

"The outlook for the time of year was never better, in fact, I have never seen the ranching country look so well."

SHAKES FAITH IN HUMANITY.

Great and Small Had Wonderful Confidence in Mr. Hypple's Judgment.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 29.—So great was the confidence reposed in Frank Hypple, late president of the Real Estate Trust company, which was yesterday forced to the wall because of secret business transactions of Mr. Hypple's that that institution was virtually a bank of Presbyterian church. Not only the general assembly, which was a large depositor, but even the smallest Sunday school organization and hundreds of individuals with abiding faith in the integrity of the late president, had entrusted their funds and savings to the institution.

"It almost destroys a person's faith in humanity," said H. P. Ford, private secretary to the Hon. Henry C. Henry, secretary of the Board of Publication and Sabbath school work of the Presbyterian church. "As treasurer of the trustees of the assembly Mr. Hypple had control of over \$100,000, and as treasurer of the permanent committee of Home Missions and sustenance the Synod of Pennsylvania and the Presbyterians of this city, other large amounts were at his command."

A meeting is in progress at the office of a large national bank and it is stated that sufficient funds have been pledged to enable the company to reopen its doors within forty-eight hours. As a preliminary to this the court will be petitioned to dismiss the receivers.

FRANK W. HYPPLEN SUICIDED.

President of the Smashed Financial House Feared the Result.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29.—Coroner Klyng today admitted that Frank W. Hypple, president of the Real Estate Trust company, who was found dead at his home last Friday, suicided.

THEIR VERY BUSY WEEK.

Russian Terrorists' Splendid Record For One Hebdomadad Period.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 29.—Official statistics of the terrorism of last week show that 101 officials, gendarmes, police, etc., were killed; 92 were wounded; 291 private persons were killed or wounded; 34 spirit shops were plundered; private and individual institutions were robbed of \$189,815 and 100 institutions of \$84,081. There were over one hundred and fifty armed attempts to rob banks, houses, etc.

Odessa, Aug. 29.—Wholesale arrests of political suspects continue. Violent revolutionary leaflets have been found in circulation, and the public is apprehensive of grave events.

ALL PEACEFUL IN MEXICO.

Sensational Stories of Uprising Against Americans Without Foundation.

New York, Aug. 29.—The Associated Press is in receipt of the following telegram from Chihuahua, Mexico. "On behalf of sixty prominent resident Americans of Chihuahua, we desire to contradict the many false and sensational statements in the press of our country regarding an uprising against Americans in Mexico. We are thoroughly informed as to the conditions existing in the state of Chihuahua, and are convinced that no anti-American movement is contemplated or probable. Our lives, families, and property are secure. A letter against such statements has been filed with the American representatives."

The telegram is signed by several business and banking firms of Chihuahua.

NEW YORK FINANCIER
A GUEST OF VICTORIA

Julius Sternberg of New York in
Town on a Visit of
Pleasure

Amongst the guests registered at the Hotel Priard is Mr. Julius Sternberg of New York, who is paying a passing visit of pleasure to the city with at the same time a keen eye to the business features of the place and its possibilities for the investment of capital.

Mr. Sternberg is a partner of the well known banking firm of Sternberg, Simm & Co., of New York city, and is calling here in the course of a tour of the West. Traveling by the New York Central to Buffalo and thence by boat to Duluth and on, via St. Paul and the North Pacific Railroad to Yellowstone Park, he spent several days before proceeding to Seattle, he came to Victoria yesterday by the steamer Indianapolis. After remaining here a few days he will continue his travels, via Vancouver and the C. P. R. line through the Canadian Rockies, stopping over at Banff and other points of interest. Mr. Sternberg reports very favorably on the Western province through which he has passed which display good crops and every sign of contentment and prosperity ahead.

Speaking on the subject of the impending presidential election he is of opinion that Mr. Bryan will have a big chance of election, provided the Republicans do not put a man possessed of the calibre and ideas of a Roosevelt to defeat him. "When prosperity reigns in America, labor is absolutely contented," said he, "this is one thing in favor of the Republicans."

Mr. Sternberg is immensely impressed with the enormous and growing importance of Seattle as the chief point of interest on the American Pacific coast, with its life and activity, and its promise of a great future, to which by geographical position it is justly entitled in the same manner as Victoria holds the key of the position from a Canadian standpoint. Mr. Sternberg has formed a most favorable estimate of this city and the future of Vancouver Island generally, a future which it requires a great deal of capital to develop through the medium of natural resources as to which he does not think that its citizens are sufficiently alive. Possessed of only a superficial knowledge of the province, Mr. Sternberg has since his arrival formed a sufficiently astute conception of its circumstances, its railway enterprise, and the causes that govern the tremendous increase in the value of property during the last few years and he is deeply imbued with an expert's appreciation of the attractions and opportunities this province presents, and its eminent qualifications, whether in point of richness or resources of scenic beauty, or of climatic healthfulness, such as entitle it to become at once the capitalists' paradise and his home.

COLORED ELKS IN SESSION.

National Convention Being Held in
Columbus—Large Attendance.

Columbus, O., Aug. 29.—The Improved Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the World, which was organized at Cincinnati seven years ago and the membership of which is composed exclusively of colored men, is holding its national convention in Columbus with a large attendance. The opening of the business sessions was followed by a big parade this afternoon. The annual reports show a membership of nearly 100 local lodges spread throughout the United States and British Columbia.

THE DESPOTS OF THE HOME.

Five Hundred Babies in a Grand
Parade at Asbury Park.

Asbury Park, N. J., Aug. 29.—Babies from every nook and corner of Uncle Sam's domain came from across the sea held festival holiday and high revel in Asbury Park today. Dressed in their best raiment they paraded the ocean front this afternoon and were reviewed by Queen Titania (Miss Julia Dorenius) and her maids in the court of honor. It was baby's day in the fair realm of the sea. Almost every variety of infantine eccentricity was presented in the moving procession, from the infant terrible subdued and tractable under the influence of appalling environment, and rising in graduated stage to maturer juvenility, which, under pressure, was permitted to assume "trouserloons" and long skirts.

There were nearly 500 good-humored tots in the procession, and they toddled contentedly in the grand march while many thousands of spectators, fascinated by the moving panorama, looked on with sympathetic eye. There were dolls in coaches, wheeled by their proud young owners; express wagons and bicycles, baby carriages and go-carts; children dressed in fancy costumes, tot in burlesque garb, twirls, floats and pony turnouts. Allegory and history found equal favor in the float division, which contributed much variety of original construction. The fancy dress division was phenomenally strong and picturesque and evoked unqualified remarks of approval from the spectators. There were several floats in the parade. The court of honor, naturally was the centre of attraction, Queen Titania, her maids of honor, the high chancellor, the court jester, Prince Charming and Princess Cinderella, together with the pages, trumpeters and courtiers presenting a brilliant and entrancing scene.

Many watched the parade from the hotel piazzas and the roofs of the cottages and buildings adjacent to Ocean avenue. It is estimated that the throng lining the sidewalks on Ocean avenue was the largest ever gathered in Asbury Park upon any similar occasion.

RIVAL DIVERS.

Vancouver Submarine Worker Wants a
Contest With New Zealander.

Mr. Fred Madison, the well known Vancouver diver, who made a number of descents in the Inlet in an attempt to locate the several bodies of the Chehalis victims, does not take much stock in the vaunted prowess of Mr. Oliver Chausse, the New Zealand diver, who recently arrived in the Terminal City. Mr. Chausse recently announced that he was prepared to put up a money guarantee to find the wreck of the Chehalis within twenty-four hours after he commenced operations.

In order to give Mr. Chausse a chance to show his ability as a diver, Madison authorized the issuance of a formal challenge to the former.

Just to make it a test worth while, Mr. Madison challenges Mr. Chausse to walk across the Narrows, or to any test of diving skill which may be mutually agreed upon for the sum of \$1,000. As an earnest of his intentions in this regard, Mr. Madison posted \$100 deposit at the Commercial Hotel, Vancouver, which is waiting to be covered.

Mr. Sale. A sample sale of Men's and Boy's Clothing, Hats and Caps, Shirts, Neckwear, Socks, Blankets, etc., begins today at the Army and Navy Clothing Store, 117 Government Street, where a large consignment of samples, purchased at a very great discount, will be placed on the counters for sale at almost any prices suitable to purchasers. A few of the prices quoted in their ad. elsewhere in this paper will give an approximate idea of what may be expected, and the purchasing power of your purse.

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STRAYED—A red and white bull calf from Wm. Johnston's farm, Gorge road, on Sunday, 26th August. Finder will please drop a post card. au31

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Seven days' notice is hereby given to the members of the above syndicate of a meeting to be held at 102 Government Street, Victoria, B. C., on Friday, September 7, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m. Business: The consideration of the syndicate's affairs generally. By order.

ROBERT H. SWINERTON, Secretary.
Dated Aug. 29, 1906, Victoria, B. C. au31

PROPERTY FOR SALE

Tenders are invited, and will be received by the undersigned up to the 21st September, 1906, for the purchase of the property comprising 200 acres, more or less, known as BELMONT, adjoining the Harbour of Esquimalt.

The property, which is assessed by the government at the value of \$8,500, offers an excellent opportunity for anyone requiring an ideal country place within easy reach of Victoria to acquire the same.

Tenders to remain open for two months from the 21st September, 1906. The owner of the property does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

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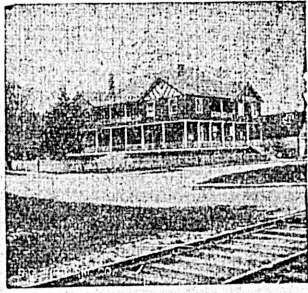
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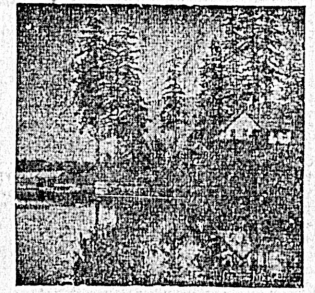
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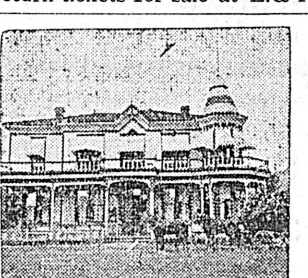
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PUNITIVE EXPEDITION AND CANNIBALS

French Sailormen Burn Village of Slaying of Island Traders

Advices were received by the steamer Miowera which arrived yesterday from Australia that news of a meeting of a joint commission held to investigate matters requiring the combined action of the British and French authorities—the New Hebrides group being under the dual control of Great Britain and France.

H. M. S. Prometheus and the French cruiser Vaucluse were at Noumea and officers of either vessel acted as commissioners. The principal matter that received the attention of the joint commission was the attack made by the natives of the island of Malekula or Mallikollo on the French trading schooner Lily, when three of the members of the crew were murdered, and their bodies subsequently devoured at a great native feast. From the evidence it appeared that the Lily anchored off Southwest bay, and that while three of the crew were ashore on trading matters they were completely surrounded by a furious band of natives, who shot them with rifles, which had been surreptitiously smuggled on to the island by previous traders in exchange for "trade." The commission after discussing the question resolved to avenge the murders, and if possible to secure the ringleaders of the massacres. In view of the fact that the three murdered men were French subjects the commission decided that action should be taken by the Vaucluse.

Subsequently the Vaucluse left Noumea for the New Hebrides, and landed a punitive expedition at a point a little to the northward of Southwest bay, on the western side of the island of Malekula. The expedition was completely armed and marched to a native village about 10 or 12 miles inland, where it was believed the murderers were hiding. The expedition commenced the march through hilly and difficult country at daylight, and it was midway before the village was reached. The native chiefs were met, and a demand made that they should forthwith produce the men who shot the French sailors of the Lily. The chiefs, however, failed to return, and after waiting for a couple of hours the expedition set fire to the village, which was completely destroyed. The expedition also shot 30 pigs, which animals are greatly valued by the natives, as the wealth of a chief is determined by the number of pigs with which he is possessed. The expedition then commenced the return journey, reaching the anchorage of the Vaucluse by nightfall.

VICTORIA'S GREAT FUTURE.

British Railway Men Impressed With Possibilities of Island.

Mr. Samuel Fay and party of railway magnates left last evening for Seattle en route for San Francisco and the East, after spending the morning in paying visits of ceremony to the premier and the chief commissioner of lands and works and viewing the parliament buildings and museum and the afternoon in an automobile run around the Spanish peninsula. They were accompanied by all they saw. At the time of their disposal was so limited the intention of enjoying a little fishing had to be abandoned. They had much to say as to the brilliant possibilities of the island and the didactic incision with which they grasped and expounded the existing needs and shortcomings constituted a feat of mental acuity not easily surpassed when it is realized that on arrival they were absolutely without maps or information were fully possessed of that national inaccuracy of geographical conception which has long since passed into proverb.

The relative positions of Vancouver and Vancouver Island were badly confused in their minds and the Seymour Narrows and its possibilities was a thing unknown, yet, nevertheless, after being supplied with maps and information over night, they were able next morning to define with the utmost exactitude everything that must be done for Victoria's salvation.

"I cannot imagine," said Mr. H. Holmes, superintendent of the London and Southwestern railway, that the C. P. R. intends ultimately to keep Vancouver as an ocean terminal." According to their conclusions that terminal will be transferred to Esquimalt and that the future port of the North Pacific will either be on Vancouver Island or on the mainland to the north. "Victoria," said he, "appears to me to be a place of tremendous possibilities and occupies a commanding position

NEW C. P. R. SERVICE WILL BEGIN TODAY

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PONDO TO TENDER TWICKENHAM

Will Carry Cargo to Vancouver—Revenue Cutter Leaves For Bamfield Today.

The C. P. R. steamer Empress of India is to sail today from Yokohama to make, if possible, a record-breaking trip and inaugurate the new schedule of the Canadian Pacific system between Hongkong and Liverpool and the "Overseas Limited" special will start from Quebec on arrival of the Empress to connect with the Empress of China, outward from this port on Tuesday next. The long-established days of arrival and departure are changed under the new arrangement, which has now come into force. Instead of arriving on Tuesdays as has been the custom for eleven years, the white liners will be due on Saturdays hereafter; and the day of departure will be Tuesday instead of Monday. By the new schedule the time will be lessened so that the half-circle of the world will be accomplished in thirty days, though the distance to be traversed is more than 12,000 miles. The Empress leaves while making an average run of 12 days between Yokohama and British Columbia, are able to better that time on every trip and the new schedule calls for faster time. The overland journey is also to be done in quicker time. Today, for the first time, a special train, the "Overseas Limited," will be started between Quebec and Vancouver which will make the run in the quick time of 96 hours. The train—a special—leaves Quebec immediately after the arrival of the Empress on the Atlantic route. The first special from British Columbia will start eastward on arrival of the Empress of India.

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CALLS LORD'S DAY ACT A GOOD ONE

General Secretary Shearer Anticipates No Trouble in its Enforcement

Rev. J. G. Shearer, general secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada who is now visiting the coast, speaking in reference to the Lord's Day act, passed by the Dominion house at its recent session, said: "The present act has its imperfections, but it is the best law of its kind now in force anywhere in the world, and Sunday is better observed in Canada than in any other country. Even Scotland must yield to Canada in this respect, while some other countries, the United States for instance, are hardly to be compared with the Dominion in this regard. When the new act comes into force the government of Canada will be still more marked in the matter of Sunday observance. The new law with reference to railways will forbid all general repair work on Sunday, all construction work and all local making up and handling of freight trains. It will prevent absolutely all Sunday extensions, whether by railway train, steamboat or trolley, or by other conveyance. It will prevent the Sunday importation or distribution of newspapers, as well as their printing. It will forbid the opening of theatres and all sports and games for money or reward.

"The clause in the act requiring that the consent of the attorney-general of the province must be secured in each instance before proceeding to prosecution in any particular case, while unreasonable in theory, will have no real effect in the enforcement of the act. We do not anticipate the slightest difficulty in securing convictions owing to this provision, as long at least as we have attorney-generals of the same personal character as we have at the present time. We have already interviewed several of these gentlemen regarding the enforcement of the law, and have received very satisfactory assurances from them. We could never have succeeded in securing the present act on our own initiative or through the good offices of our friends. That the act was a government measure accounts for the fact that it went through in its present form. The legislation asked for by the alliance was we are persuaded, moderate and reasonable, and I am persuaded that it will have the approval of a very large majority of the right thinking people of Canada."

KIDNEY DISEASE—GRAVEL.

"I was afflicted with kidney disease and gravel in its most severe form having often a stoppage of water accompanied by the most dreadful agony. By using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills the disease was eradicated from my system in less than six months. I have gained in weight, sleep well and feel better than I have for twenty years."—Mr. W. Smith Port Dalhousie, Ont.

STEAMER ARRIVED.

Montreal, Aug. 30.—The C. P. R. Empress of Ireland, from Liverpool, August 24, was reported off Atlantic Light at 10 p. m. today, and is due at Quebec shortly after midnight, having made a remarkably fast run. Passengers will reach Montreal Friday forenoon, August 31.

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When that steamer sailed outward all hands were interested in orders that had been given, which, unless countermanded, ordered a fast homeward run. The record is held by the Empress of Japan which holds the blue ribbon of the Pacific, having accomplished the run some years ago between Yokohama and Victoria in 10 days and 10 hours. The Pacific Mail S. S. Co. has been since endeavoring to break that record, and several costly speeding voyages have taken place the usual call at Honolulu being omitted for the purpose; but the record of the C. P. R. steamer has not yet been broken. The nearest approach to it, being that of the steamer Korea which ran from Yokohama to San Francisco in 10 days 11 hours and 20 minutes. In fairness, though, it must be stated that the run to San Francisco is longer. However, the fastest time for a land to land across the Pacific is that made by the Empress of Japan and in order to set a new mark the Empress of India will need arrive at this port early on September 10th.

The new service of the C. P. R. will give a quicker mail service between London and Hongkong than is possible by any other service. The route between Liverpool and Hongkong via the Suez and overland between Brindisi and Liverpool occupies 35 days. With close connections between the two routes the modern traveler will easily be able to excel the hero of Jules Verne who rounded the world in 80 days—the time under these two fast services of the rival systems is but 65 days.

The steamer Tarrar of the C. P. R. intermediary Oriental service is due tomorrow from Yokohama. The steamer Tango Maru of the Japanese line which left Yokohama on August 22nd, is due on Thursday next.

THE MANCHURIA.

Miowera Sighted the Stranded Liner When Nearing Honolulu.

The steamer Miowera passed the wrecked steamer Manchuria, of the Pacific Mail line, which lies on the weather side of Hawaii, and, according to officers of the Canadian-Australian liner, in a bad position, at night on the 20th. The steamer was seen at a distance, but was well lit up. She appeared to have settled considerably, and a strong current was apparent. The situation of the Manchuria is considerably different to that of the Miowera when ashore at the islands. The Miowera stranded at the entrance to Honolulu harbor, and in comparatively shallow water, whereas the Manchuria is in a bad position. Among recent disastrous strandings that of the Manchuria will rank among the costliest, even if she is eventually floated, which is but a bare possibility. She is jammed on coral reefs and undergoing terrible strain. She is a steel twin screw steamer of 15,650 tons gross and 8,750 net, built by the New York Shipbuilding company, Camden, N. J., in 1904, and owned by the Pacific Mail S. S. Co., San Francisco. Should she prove a loss, \$2,000,000.

Master L. Fisk, Mr. Corbett, Mr. Bat-cheller, Mr. Bat-cheller, Mr. Bat-cheller, Mr. Lawson, Mr. Morris, Mr. A. Dods, Mr. G. Bray, Miss A. Dunn, Mr. Dunn, and 42 Japanese mostly in transit for the United States from Honolulu.

The purser's report of the voyage follows: Left Sydney August 9th and experienced moderate southeast winds and sea, arriving at Brisbane August 8th; left Brisbane August 9th at midnight and experienced strong southeast wind and heavy sea to Longitude 160°E. Thence moderate wind, southeast, and sea with fine weather, passing Walpole Island at 5 a. m. August 12th and arriving at Suva August 14th. Left Suva same day at noon and experienced strong east southeast to east wind and cloudy weather with rough sea, passed Alofa Island following day, Huli Island August 10th and crossed the equator August 12th in 170° W. Longitude. Thence moderate northeast trade and squally weather with rough sea to arrival at Honolulu August 22nd, left again same day at 6 p. m. and experienced moderate northeast winds latterly mostly to Cape Flattery.

TENDERING TWICKENHAM.

Steamer Pondo to Carry Sugar of the Freighter to Vancouver.

The steamer Pondo, of the New Zealand-British Columbia line, which omitted to call at this port inbound, arrived at Esquimalt last night to enter the dry dock to be cleaned and painted. The Pondo, for about 30 feet from the stern, was chartered yesterday to carry the sugar that remains on board the steamer Twickenham to the B. C. Sugar Refinery at Vancouver. Of the disabled steamer's cargo of 5,365 tons, 1,200 tons, valued at about \$90,000, was lost, and about 2,000 was placed in the barge Baroda by the Victoria & Vancouver Stevedoring company, which is discharging the Twickenham. The Pondo is to enter the dry dock today, and will remain in the dock for about 48 hours, after which she will proceed alongside the Twickenham in Esquimalt harbor, and take on board the sugar remaining in the freighter.

It is not expected that the Twickenham will be able to enter the dry dock until about the middle of the coming week. The salvage of the steamer will involve repairs costing at least \$25,000; but the full extent of the work necessary will not be definitely known until the steamer is placed in the dock. The plates on the keel are bent for about 30 feet from the stern, the board and keel plates are strained on the port side, and there is one hole about four inches in diameter broken in one of the plates. Fourteen plates are injured on the starboard side, and there are holes in some of these.

With regard to the complaints of the United States wreckers with reference to the salvage of the steamer, it has been pointed out that nothing was known by those interested in the stranded steamer regarding the reported presence of a wrecking steamer, the Samson, at Roche Harbor. Furthermore, the Canadian wrecking vessels were lawful, as the waters in which the steamer stranded are undoubtedly contiguous to British Columbia waters. It has also been pointed out in this connection that when the steamer Williamette, now known as the Montana, was wrecked near Union Bay, the Morans were permitted by the Canadian government to salvage the vessel, and the waters in which the steamer lay could not be considered as contiguous waters.

THE CAMOSUN FLOATED.

Has Left Bullen's Ways and Goes North Today.

The steamer Camosun, of the Union S. S. Co., Capt. Saunders, which struck on Keeler rock, not 100 yards from the shore, reported in the entrance to Prince Rupert harbor, prospective terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific, was floated from the marine ways of the B. C. Marine Railway Co., yesterday, after being successfully repaired. Seventeen plates were put in the steamer, at a cost of \$9,000. The Camosun will arrive at Turner-Beech's wharf this morning, and is expected to sail for Portland, Seattle, and other northern British Columbia ports at 10 a. m. The local agent, Mr. Fleming, has booked 12 passengers, including Mr. Stewart, of Stewart, B. C., and bride, and 40 tons of general freight.

For VALENCIA VICTIMS. Cutter Grant to Leave Seattle Today For Bamfield.

The expedition which goes from Seattle to the scene of the Valencia wreck to recover the bodies of the victims of that disaster to Seattle for burial will leave today or as soon as the party can be gotten together and the coffin and other necessary equipment put on board the cutter Grant. An order was sent to Capt. Munger, through the medium of United States Senator Piles, to have the cutter at Seattle and to report to Mr. Piles for further instructions.

All concerned with the expedition are in readiness and waiting for the arrival of the cutter. The undertaker who will do the work, H. S. Noice, of Georgetown, has had the caskets on hand for some time and last night stated that as soon as the cutter arrives in port he is ready to put them aboard and start. The services of a tug have been secured to take the bodies from the scene of the disaster to Bamfield, where they will be transferred to the cutter, the orders of the department requiring that the cutter do not approach the scene of the wreck as it is not considered safe in the present condition of the vessel.

FROM THE ANTIPODES.

Miowera Reached Port Yesterday From the South Seas.

The steamer Miowera of the Canadian-Australian line which reached port this morning arrived in charge of the chief officer, Capt. Hemming, having been confined to his bed by illness for five days; he is, however, recovering rapidly. The steamer had an average passage, being filled with passengers, though carrying a scant freight. There was 470 tons in all, but 16 tons being landed here. The steamer's cargo included frozen mutton, timber, marmoset skins, rabbit skins, wool, pelts, hides and jams. The passenger accommodation was so fully taken up that applicants for passage from Honolulu were necessarily refused. Among the arrivals by the steamer was the Wm. Collier Comedy Co., which has been producing "The Quiet" in which it is billed for this city on Monday, and H. Davis' "The Dictator" with fair success in Melbourne and Sydney. There were in all 175 passengers. Mr. A. Dods of this city who has been visiting relatives in Suva, F. I., was among the passengers. Those booked to Victoria were: Mrs. Linden, Mr. and Mrs. Swan and child, Mr. and Mrs. Howchin, Mr. Stolin, Mr. C. Driscoll, Mr. Myers, Mr. Macmillan, Mr. and Mrs. Fisk, Mr. L. M. Fisk, Mr. J. A. Fisk, Master L. Fisk, Miss F. Fisk.



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According to advices from the North after this season there will be no police steamer on the Yukon, and the water transportation will be limited to a cover of mosquito netting propelled by the strong arms of the constables. Following up the determination of the department to reduce the police force in the territory, it has been decided to sell the Vidette, which now flies the ensign of the R. N. W. M. P. The sale will not be made until the close of navigation, but will be without reserve. Later tenders will be asked for and the trim little steamer with the black stack bearing a yellow band near its top will be knocked down to the highest bidder.

UNITED STATES TUG HERE.

Military Officer and Family Pay Visit to This City.

The U. S. tug General J. M. Wilson of the United States military engineering department, arrived at the government dock yesterday morning to land Major Clendenen, chief engineer for Puget Sound military district, and his wife and family, who were on a visit to Victoria. The tug, a nicely-built, substantial steamer, with large white-painted hull and spacious cabin and saloon accommodation, was in port all day, and sailed last night for return to the Sound. The vessel has a long time been engaged in work in connection with fort construction across the straits.

THE LISBETH ARRIVES.

German Bark in the Royal Roads From San Pedro.

German bark Lisbeth, Capt. Kaak, arrived in Royal Roads yesterday from San Pedro in ballast. The Lisbeth ran into a storm off the California coast, and was badly strained and leaking. The vessel also lost a number of sails. It was decided to call the bark north to this port for the necessary repairs. The Lisbeth will be chartered to load lumber at Esquimalt to be surveyed and tenders will then be called for the necessary repairs. The vessel is chartered to load lumber at Capetown or East London.

TO SURVEY SHIP.

Sailors of Battle Abbey Ask That the Rigging Be Examined.

The four seamen of the British ship Battle Abbey, who were arrested and tried in the provincial police court on the charge of refusing to obey the lawful commands of the master, Capt. Davidson, and who were remanded until yesterday morning, decided to ask a survey of the rigging of the vessel, which they considered unsatisfactory. If the contention of the seamen is not borne out by the surveyor, the accused will be required to pay the expenses of the survey. The survey is expected to be held today.

A PATHETIC SCENE.

Lady Who Took Passage Here on the Aorangi Was Buried at Sea.

Steamer Miowera, which arrived yesterday from Australia, brought advices that a most pathetic scene was witnessed on board the R. M. S. Aorangi, midway between Victoria and Honolulu, when south-bound. It was the committal to the deep of a loving wife and mother of six small children. The deceased lady was the wife of the Rev. P. P. Chase, a Lutheran clergyman, who is journeying to Petersburg, north of Adelaide, to take over a pastorate in that neighborhood. The deceased lady, being slightly ill when she came on board, succumbed to heart failure.

MARINE NOTES.

Montreal, Aug. 30.—The C. P. R. M. S. Empress of Britain, from Rimouski August 25, via 0:20, was reported 400 miles east of Malta Head today at 4 p. m., and is due at Liverpool about 7 a. m. August 31, having beaten the record over the course from Rimouski to Liverpool via Belle Isle by about 2 hours.

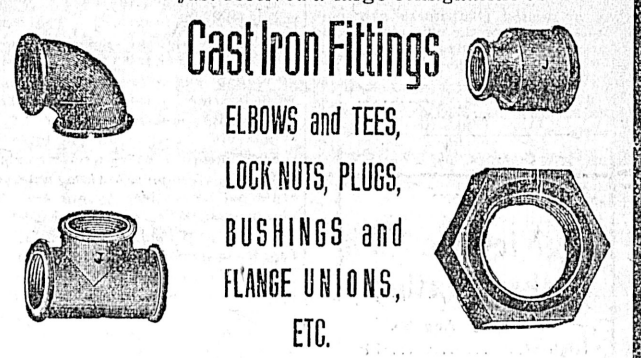
Agents for the steamer Nuniwak, which was sent North with a load of freight for the Kuskokwim river, reported yesterday that they had received word from Nushagak stating that the steamer had been fully repaired and was at the Kuskokwim river now. A California despatch says: Near Point Joe, two miles from Point Pinos lighthouse, the steam schooner Celia, making from Santa Cruz, where she had left part of her cargo of 100,000 feet of lumber, for the port of Monterey on the jagged shore line. The vessel ran aground a total wreck and is being looked after by launches from Monterey, which are endeavoring to collect what is possible of the schooner's cargo. No lives were lost.

The steamer Rosalie, formerly on the Victoria-Seattle route, on her run between Port Angeles and Seattle on Wednesday, grounded on the rocks between Protection Island and Point Wilson. After a three hours' wait the steamer was raised by the tide, no serious damage resulting. The Rosalie has been around four times since June. Capt. Rosalie, 300 tons, is a Scotch-built, Glasgow, and Morille for New York. It was in communication by wireless with the Marconi station here when 120 miles east of this point at 6 a. m.

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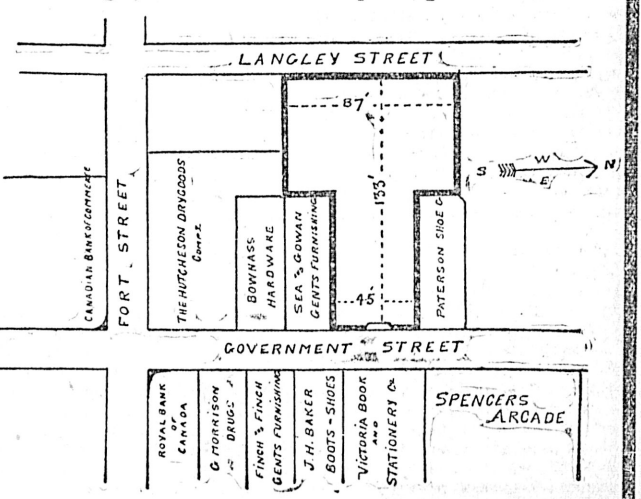
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Mean temperature..... 65.51
Total precipitation for the month, .16 inch; average amount, 0.37 inches.
Bright sunshine, 345 hours, 12 minutes; mean daily proportion, 0.71 (constant sunshine being 1).

MR. GRIGG'S VISIT.

The visit of Mr. Griggs to Canada is likely to prove of value both to the Dominion and the Mother Country. Briefly stated, his object is to seek out information that will be of value to the Board of Trade, which, it may be well to mention, is a department of the Imperial government, and to establish regular channels through which the supply may be kept up to date. The best students of the relations between the United Kingdom and Canada long since came to the conclusion that what is more needed than anything else is the diffusion of reliable, specific information. Generalities are well enough in their way, but if effective results are to be reached, attention must be given to details, which, though perhaps apparently insignificant, in themselves, unite to form an important whole. The relations of countries with each other are made up of many small items, most of them too limited in their scope and too individual in their bearing to be dealt with by governments or to attract the notice of political theorists. Speaking broadly, the aspect of inter-imperial relations, most in evidence at the present time, is the commercial side of them. So far as Canada is concerned, and no necessity arises for us to assume to speak for other parts of the Empire, there is no question as to the loyalty of the people to the flag and to what may be called the British tradition. Publicists may safely assume that the Canadian people have no wish whatever, to break the bonds which attach their country to the United Kingdom. Some few may think it time that we enjoyed a greater measure of independence, just as a few others think it would be better if the final decision in all Canadian matters rested, not with the people themselves, but with the authorities of Downing Street. The very great majority are fully satisfied with conditions as they exist and the evolution thereof, which is steadily in progress. This is the reason why the various programmes suggested by the self-styled leaders of the Imperialists have failed to evoke any popular response, even though they have at times been championed by prominent Canadian public men. British history teaches that it is an error to talk of empire-building, although right enough to speak of Imperial evolution.

Love of adventure and the desire for trade were the mainsprings of action on the part of those, through whose energy the Union Jack has been hoisted over so many of the best portions of the habitable globe, and it is no reflection upon the bands of "gentlemen adventurers" of the past to say that the strength of the Imperial edifice has depended more upon the prosaic influences of commerce than anything else. We do not wish to intimate, as some prominent people have, that nothing but tariff bonds can keep the Empire from going to pieces; but we do claim that the more fully the people of the United Kingdom understand what Canada can do for them, and the more fully Canadians understand what they can become to the United Kingdom, the more lastingly beneficial will the relations of the two countries be. Hence we welcome the visit of Mr. Grigg. His work is along right lines. Principles and rules are only valuable in proportion to the value of the data upon which they are based, and the mission of our visitor is the accumulation of data that will serve as a guide to those who are entrusted with the responsibility of determining the policy of the Imperial government, and that will, we assume, be accessible to

such of the public as may feel the need of reliable information about Canadian trade.

WATER ONCE MORE.

The Times has definitely declared itself as favorable to the Highland district as the permanent source of water supply for the city. It is not worth while to follow our contemporary in what it says about what may be the future needs of Victoria, when it outgrows nearby sources of supply. Our contemporary's observations on that point simply begot the issue. We are making some progress. The Times and Colonist are in accord as to the unwisdom of looking to Elk Lake as a permanent source, and we fully agree with it when it says "it would be a mistake to spend a large sum of the ratepayers' money upon Elk Lake."

The Times thinks that Goldstream as a source of supply "might not have appeared so inviting to our eyes if it had remained in its natural state." With this also we agree. A thing that has been demonstrated to be good is always more attractive than something the good qualities of which have not been demonstrated. So favorably does the Times appear to be impressed with what has been demonstrated at Goldstream that its only objection to it is on the score of cost. It says that to avail ourselves of this source of supply the city will have to borrow a million and a half dollars, which is beyond our borrowing power. If this is the only objection, it is one that can be removed by the legislature whenever the people of Victoria so desire.

The Times thinks "the Highland district scheme, as far as it has been considered, looks attractive," but Mr. Adams, who is the only expert who has expressed an opinion on the subject, tells us that we do not know enough about the Highland district, as a source of water supply, to enable anyone to form an opinion that is of any value. If experiment should show the Highland district to be unsuitable for the purpose, the Times would apparently be disposed to favor going to Sooke Lake. Apparently our contemporary's position may be thus stated: Elk Lake is out of the question, and Goldstream must not be considered under any circumstances.

His Worship the Mayor is also apparently an out-and-out opponent of Goldstream. He makes a thinly-veiled bid for popularity by saying that the money spent in buying the Goldstream property could be laid out in wages of men employed in bringing Sooke Lake water to the city, and that the Sooke Lake supply would cost the city less than one from Goldstream. In his estimate he omits any reference to something which the Times does not overlook, namely, that in acquiring the Goldstream property the city will take over a large revenue-producing asset. It is only good business in considering the cost of a thing to ascertain whether or not it yields an income that may be set off against interest on what the price will be. Thus let it be supposed that by acquiring the Goldstream property and thereby securing a monopoly of water supply for the whole region included in Victoria and Esquimalt, the city comes or may reasonably be expected to come into a net revenue of \$20,000 a year from other sources than domestic water supply in Victoria. This would be 4 per cent. on \$500,000, and if the city had to pay \$1,250,000 for the property, the actual cost to the ratepayers would be only \$750,000. If the city should ignore Goldstream and go to Sooke, there would remain for all time to come a rival concern furnishing water and power to the people of a district which the city ought to supply. We do not give the above figures as accurate, but only for illustration. The possible value of the revenue-paying assets of the Goldstream company do not, as the Times properly points out, affect the question whether the city can, under its present borrowing powers, acquire Goldstream; but it does very materially affect the Mayor's calculations as to cost. In fact it knocks the bottom out of them.

AN INTERPROVINCIAL CONFERENCE.

The long-expected conference of the provincial premiers is to be held at Ottawa early in October. The meeting will be one of more than ordinary importance. It was inevitable, after the terms granted to the new provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta, that a readjustment of the financial relations between the federal and local governments would become necessary. Under the basic terms of Confederation the maximum sum that can be paid to Nova Scotia and New Brunswick as annual subsidy is \$320,000; and when British Columbia and Manitoba entered the union the same limit was placed upon them. In the case of the two new provinces the maximum is increased to double this amount. This is a discrepancy that must be rectified; there is no reason why there should be any difference between the provinces in this respect, and it is not very obvious why Ontario and Quebec should always be entitled to receive greater subsidies than the other members of the Union. This is only one aspect of the case, and, as far as British Columbia is concerned, not by any means the most important. This province can claim, without fear of successful contradiction, that it contributes more per capita to the revenue of the Dominion than any other province, and perhaps more than any two provinces. We can likewise claim that the conditions surrounding the administration of public affairs in

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the vast area embraced within our provincial borders renders impossible here the economies practiced in the East. It is the aim of the government of British Columbia, as it is the desire of all Canadians, that the administration of justice, the maintenance of education, the construction of roads, trails and bridges shall be on a par here relatively with what is done along these lines in the eastern provinces; but it is obvious that to do this more money will be needed for a long time to come than can be raised, without resorting to a heavy levy of direct taxation, unless the federal parliament comes to our aid. It is not desirable that the infant industries of British Columbia shall be overburdened with direct taxes, and the province in this way placed at a serious disadvantage as compared with other parts of the Dominion. This is not merely a local claim. The people now resident in British Columbia could get along very comfortably if not another square mile of its area were developed. It is very little more to their interest than it is to that of the people of Canada as a whole, that vast new areas should be opened to colonization and industry. The whole Dominion will benefit by the development of this province. A great market will be afforded for the grain of the prairie provinces and for the manufactures of the East, and the revenue of the country will be vastly augmented by the contributions of a people, who live well and consume a large amount of dutiable and excisable goods. The government of British Columbia cannot view the prospective rapid progress of the province, wholly with equanimity. Individually its members are as gratified as anyone at every evidence of advancement; but when, as the persons charged with the duty of providing for the needs of new areas, they sit down to count what it will cost to meet what ought to be supplied, and figure out where the money is coming from, they have a problem that is exceedingly difficult of solution. No one denies that there are some minor ways in which economies can be effected without materially reducing the efficiency of the public service. Our province does not stand alone in this respect. But when all the items that can be reckoned up in this way are added together, the sum total is only a trifle compared with what the actual necessities of our growing country are.

In preferring a request for better terms, the provincial government must not be understood to stand in the position of a Conservative local administration asking favors from a Liberal federal ministry. There are no politics in the matter at all. The request is simply an appeal for just consideration, and it would not be strengthened in the slightest degree if the Liberal party were in power here. We admit that the case may be found to be difficult of solution, but that is no reason why it should not be solved. The representatives of this province will not find everything plain sailing when they go to Ottawa. They will meet the representatives of other provinces, who will press claims for consideration, which they at least think are as valid as our own. Whether they will be asked to assent to the requests that may be preferred by the other provinces, or the government, after hearing what each province may have to claim, will take the whole subject under advisement and decide upon a course of action for itself, we do not know, although we should suppose from the fact that the provincial ministers have been invited to meet and confer, it is proposed to endeavor to formulate a scheme that will be acceptable to all. If this were not the case, the claims of the several provinces might as well be taken up separately. The duty which will devolve upon British Columbia's representatives at the conference will be no light one. It is to be hoped that the press of the province will, without distinction of party, back up the demands made on our behalf with all the vigor at their command, and that the members of the local legislature will cause it to be known that, however they may differ from their colleagues on other points, they are all of one mind as to the need of better terms. The whole legislature is on record on this point, and the time has arrived when any personal influence possessed by Liberal

members of the House ought to be employed in behalf of the province. Our representatives will not go to Ottawa as representatives of a political party, but to look after the welfare of the whole province on the only occasion that has offered itself in the course of a generation, and the only one likely to occur during the next generation, to place the financial relations of British Columbia and the Dominion on a just basis.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur, speaking at St. Heloise a week or so ago, said "the demand for increased provincial subsidies is dangerous." This, from a minister representing a French constituency, may be significant.

The press correspondent who sent word to the Coast that Earl Grey's injury was more serious than was expected, forgot to mention that His Excellency was hurt in one eye by the explosion of an electric light bulb.

The Vancouver World is endeavoring to persuade itself that a dire plot is on foot to fill British Columbia with Chinamen. Most people thought that "The Passing of a Race" was concluded, but it is hard to teach an old dog new tricks.


A new life-belt has been invented in France. It is so arranged that the wearer must necessarily float on his back, with his head well out of the water. If what is claimed for it is true, its adoption by ship-owners ought to be compulsory.

Victoria is not the only part of the world that is having a dry summer. Montreal fears that the big steamers will be unable to reach her wharves unless something happens to raise the waters of the St. Lawrence. Recent English papers speak of the wonderfully fine weather that is being enjoyed everywhere from Land's End to John O' Groat's House. Light precipitation, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions and sunspots—these are the characteristic features in a big way of 1906.

Some interesting stories of the doings of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police are going the rounds of the press. The usefulness of this splendid corps in dealing with troublesome bands of Indians seems to have almost come to an end through the settlement of the country; but the "bad man" from the United States not infrequently attempts to put in force in the prairie country the tactics that he found so successful south of the international boundary. Then he usually lands in jail, a good deal the worse for having come in contact with a member of that remarkable body of men.

The trouble with the Babine Indians, who live around the head of the Skeena River, arising out of the action of the fishery officers in removing barriers which the Indians have placed in the river, may prove very serious, and good judgment will have to be exercised to avoid reprisals. Unless the Indians are shown that they are in the wrong or are completely overawed, things may not be any too comfortable for the surveying parties and isolated settlers who are in that part of the province. Hitherto all difficulties that have been encountered in dealing with the natives have been solved in an amicable way, and it is hoped that the present instance will not furnish an exception.

Mr. McPhillips does not approve of the suggestion that Canadians might, for due consideration, be induced to suspend temporarily their right to engage in pelagic sealing. This is a point upon which there is room for a difference of opinion. As long as we do not absolutely surrender a right, which we enjoy in common with the rest of mankind, save only the people of the United States, there does not appear to be anything in such a proposition which is at all derogatory to our self-respect as Canadians. We can conceive of conditions arising under which an international agreement respecting the killing of whales might be desirable. If the United States government should say to Canada: "If you will agree to suspend pelagic sealing for a term of years, we will make adequate compensation," it surely would not be claimed that the request was an insult, and if the proposal was



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one that could be listened to without indignation, compliance with it would be without shame. On the other hand, if the United States should ask us to abandon forever that or any other right which we are now entitled to as individuals upon the high seas, the answer could not honorably be otherwise than in the negative.

Dame Fashion, or whatever power it may be that presides over men's toggery, has decided in favor of blue cloth for dress suits. For a good many years past there has been a complaint that guests were frequently taken for waiters, and that some distinguishing garb was really necessary. This was very sad, although in some cases it might be difficult to decide which class had the best right to complain. But now all will be serene. The man who fears he may be taken for a waiter has only to buy a blue coat to safeguard his social status under any conditions. We believe that to be strictly de rigueur the trousers should also be blue; wherein there is a difference between the up-to-date society man and the personage mentioned in the following lines:

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reports in question are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas Street.
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Local News

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"Suffer Little Children."—Mr. and
Mrs. Debeede, of 99 Pandora street,
mourn the loss by death of their infant
daughter, aged four months. The funeral
took place yesterday.

New Auction Rooms.—Stewart Wil-
liams is about to open auction rooms on
Fort street. Mr. Williams has had a
long experience in that line of business
in Victoria. He is giving special atten-
tion to real estate sales, and reports
that already he has considerable in hand
in this department.

Green-Worlock Estate.—It was an-
nounced yesterday that Bernard Heis-
terman, trustee of the Green-Worlock
estate, has sold the property at the cor-
ner of Troughton avenue and Broad street,
to a local man, the consideration being
in the vicinity of \$30,000. A sub-
stantial deposit has been paid on the
purchase price, but the sale will not be
completed for a week or ten days. The
property includes the offices occupied by
R. L. Drury and others and the Y. M. C.
A. upstairs. It is not intended to
declare a dividend to depositors in the
defunct bank at the present time. There
is other property remaining to be dis-
posed of and the proceeds of the pres-
ent sale will be placed in the bank
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Important Sale.—A sale of importance
just recorded is that of Frederick
Moore, director of the Victoria Chemical
works, of the block on Government
street occupied by Sen & Gowan and
others. The price is stated to be about
\$32,000, and Mr. Moore has purchased
the block as an investment. At present
no changes will be made in the pre-
mises.

Exhibition at Kelowna.—The list of
premiums offered by the Agricultural
and Trades Association of Okanagan
has been received. The exhibition will
be held at Kelowna on Wednesday and
Thursday, September 12th and 13th. As
might be expected the prize list includes
a large number of fruit exhibits. There
are very liberal premiums offered by the
association.

Lord's Day Alliance.—On Thursday
two meetings will be held in the inter-
ests of the Lord's Day Alliance. At 4
o'clock in the afternoon the meeting
will be held in the auditorium of the
Y. M. C. A. building, and at 8 o'clock
in the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.
Both meetings will be addressed by Rev.
J. G. Shearer, R. A., and Rev. W. M.
Rochester, M. A., of Toronto. The public
are cordially welcome to attend these
meetings.

Deeply Regretted.—Many friends in
this city learned with extreme regret of
the death of Prof. M. Dongour-Jonty,
announced in the columns of the Colonist
a few days ago. As the foremost work-
er of L'Alliance Francaise in this city,
and unofficial representative of the par-
ent association in Paris, he often lec-
tured on literary subjects, particularly
the Gallic masters of fiction. He will
probably be buried at Keenora, Ont.,
where his death took place suddenly
from heart disease.

Alberta Liberals.—At a Liberal con-
vention held at Albert on Wednesday
evening last, H. C. Brewster was se-
lected as the Liberal standard bearer at
the next general provincial elections.
The following resolution was also passed:
"Resolved, that a vote of confidence be
tendered to J. A. MacDonald, M. P., P.
leader of the provincial Liberal party,
and that this convention pledge them-
selves to do their utmost to return a
supporter of the Liberal party at the
next general election."

Oriental Mails.—The first train bearing
the Oriental mails under the C. P.
R. contract with the Imperial govern-
ment is scheduled to leave Quebec today.
A run from Quebec to Vancouver in 93
hours is expected, it being arranged the
mails leave by the Empress of China on
Tuesday. The full schedule is as fol-
lows: Leave Liverpool on Empress of
Ireland, August 24th; arrive Quebec,
August 31st; arrive Vancouver, Septem-
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Clarke & Pearson, 17 Yates St., retail-
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nishings.

The season is nearing its close, take
a trip next Sunday and see the beauti-
ful scenery of the Thousand Islands of
the Gulf, the picturesque Iroquois canal
and the Pender Island canal.

Builders Hardware and Cutlery at
Cheapside.

A cup of tea is very refreshing when
out shopping and the Yorkshire custom
will be continued this week from 3
to 5 at the Bee Hive Fancy Store, 84
Douglas street. They are showing some
very dainty articles in the way of
Ladies' neckwear, from 25c upwards.
Ladies' and children's hosiery from
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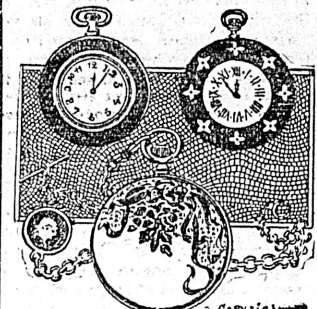
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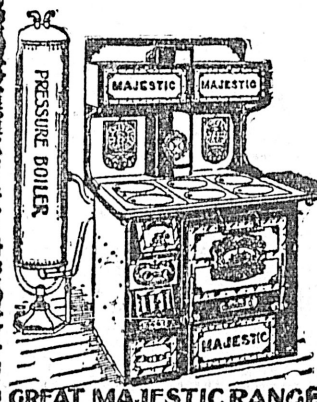
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STAMPEDE ON FOR DREDGING CLAIMS

Excitement on the Klondike Now Equals that of the Early Days

Dawson, Aug. 15.—Not since the days of the wild stampede of 1897 and 1898 has the Klondike known such excitement as prevails today. The phenomenal success of the two big dredges on the Klondike river has given a marvelous impetus to the staking of all low-lying bottoms for dredge purposes.

Scores of streams have been staked in every quarter, and scores of applications are being made for submerged river gravels. All the land along the shore of the Yukon within five miles of Dawson, north and south, is taken up, and the river bottom along the same stretch is applied for for dredging.

Staking on Creeks

The Mazie May is among the latest streams to be staked for dredge purposes. R. Patton and associates staked the first claims on the creek, and have applied for the grants to the ground. They were accompanied by quite a number of men. Patton creek, a tributary to the Mazie May, also was staked.

The Mazie May is a tributary of the Stewart, forty miles above its mouth. The staking on Mazie began at a point fourteen miles above the mouth.

The Mazie May was staked several years ago for ordinary placer purposes. At that time a number of fine nuggets were secured on the creek, and it was expected to become a producer, but water and other troubles discouraged the miners. Now they believe the dredge can overcome the early difficulties.

Snawisio Gulch

Snawisio gulch, a tributary of the Yukon river, 1,000 feet above the upper line of the Grosche concession, is also one of the latest places to be staked by the stampedeers.

Klein gulch, a tributary of the Selwyn river, is staked. A report has been received here that some good prospects were obtained. Klein gulch was located to a considerable extent in early days.

Clear creek, the first stream on the right bank of the Yukon below Dawson, and several of the other tributaries of the Yukon on the same side of the river, have been staked. Applications are pouring in to the gold office.

William David McKay has applied for discovery on Clear creek. This stream was staked three years ago for quartz by Fred Arnold and others. Arnold later led the memorable stampede up the Pelly to Hoile canyon.

Blue Vell creek, the first below Clear, has been staked by several. Robert Simlee applied for discovery.

Reliable creek, the second below Clear, is staked. Reliable creek, the third below Clear, also is staked.

Varicle island, opposite Reliable creek, is staked by two stakers. Charles McLeod asks for discovery on the island.

A point on the high land back of the Grosche concession is being staked. Forty claims there have been staked within the last day or two. Some of the stakers have applied to the mining recorder for entry for the ground, but the advance information has reached the office that the stakers are hush.

The Grosche concession lies just back of Klondike city, and the ground now being staked lies further back, beyond the concession.

The staking continues on Black Hills creek and tributaries, with no sign of stopping. The claims are staked on the main stream as low as 143 below discovery. The latest tributaries applied for are Wye and Barlow, on each of which about ten claims have been applied for.

More than 1,000 miners' licenses were issued in Dawson in July of this year. This is a record. The licenses also are in demand. Many licenses which expired shortly before the last day of July, are being renewed so that the property of the holders can be protected without doubt until the last day of the existence of the old code. Yesterday 100 licenses were issued.

Local News

Business Note.—Messrs. Rochussen & Collis have not disposed of their commission business as previously stated. The firm continues as heretofore. W. H. Fisher acting as the manager in Victoria. Mr. T. Rochussen intends going to Vancouver to attend to the interests of the firm there and extend their business.

Y. M. C. A. Excursion.—At a meeting of the excursion committee of the Y. M. C. A., held last evening several matters of importance relative to the excursion were arranged. Tickets are selling rapidly at 75c each and probably the full number will be sold before the price goes up to \$1.00 after Saturday.

Last Rites.—The remains of the late William W. Bryce, were laid to rest yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the family residence, Jubilee avenue, at 2:30 where service was conducted by the Rev. W. L. Clay. The deceased acted as pallbearers: R. Sangster, T. Lumsden, R. W. Riddell, C. McNeill, R. Matheson, W. Gabriel.

False Alarms.—The fire department was summoned to Victoria West yesterday evening, box 72 having been pulled by some foolish individual who wanted to see the department given a run for nothing. Officials of the department and loud in complaint against the frequency of these false alarms. They point out that each time the department is thus called out the city is put to an expense of \$25 or \$30. Drastic measures will be taken to apprehend the offenders.

Visiting British Medicoes.—W. R. Balmantyne of Lytham, Lancashire, accompanied by his father, A. Balmantyne of Edinburgh, and J. E. Sinclair, of London, England, are staying a few days at the King Edward. The two latter gentlemen, are well known doctors in their respective cities. They attended the British Medical society's convention at Toronto, before the convention closed left for a tour of this coast. They made several stopovers at the various places of interest along the C. P. R., one of the places being Banff, with which place they were extremely pleased with. They intend to spend several days in the city before returning.

The Empress Hotel.—The question of proceeding with the work on the second wing of the Empress hotel, now in course of construction will be decided, it is expected, when Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific railway, visits the West shortly. Those in favor of the original intentions being set aside in order to allow the contract to be completed will then lay before that official all the arguments in support of their desire. They will endeavor to show that it would be a much better paying investment to put up the last wing right away than it would to allow it to remain unfinished for several years.

The Collier Company.—William Collier and company, which has been presenting "On the Quiet" in Australian cities, arrived by the steamer Miowera yesterday surprised that an engagement had been booked for the company in this city. The company will be seen at the Victoria theatre on Monday night, the augustus Thomas production. The farce was written especially for him by Augustus Thomas and Mr. Collier has marked opportunities in it whereby to display his delightful ability. Within the short two years that he has been under Charles Frohman's direction he has developed into a star of leading magnitude and great promise.

The White Plague.—Rev. Wm. Moore D. D., of Toronto, secretary, lecturer and organizer of the Canadian association for the prevention of tuberculosis, will deliver a lecture in the city hall on Wednesday evening next, September 5th. His Worship the mayor will preside. Dr. C. J. Fagan, secretary of the provincial association, received word that Dr. Moore would arrive in the city Saturday, and stating his willingness to speak at a public meeting. Dr. Fagan at once arranged with the mayor for the meeting at which it is expected there will be a large attendance. It will practically open the winter campaign in aid of the consumptives. Probably Dr. Moore will address other meetings at different points in the province.

A Long Trip.—A. Klimesch, a guest at the Dominion hotel left St. Michael early this month, spending some time at Dawson and Selkirk en route here. Early in the year he made the run from Dawson to St. Michael in a Peterboro canoe, and says that it took him just 25 days. At St. Michael when he left shiping men were still awaiting the arrival of freight boats up the river. The Yukon was falling rapidly, and unless this arrived soon some difficulty might be experienced in freighting it up stream. Coming down the river the travel was large. All the Fairbanks people, Mr. Klimesch says, travel in this direction in preference to the Dawson route, which takes them some days longer, and is less convenient.

Excursion Rates.—In connection with the Labor Day holiday next Monday the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway will apply the usual excursion rates to all points on the line, the tickets being on sale Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the final limit being Monday night. A double train service has also been arranged for Monday. Labor day, the afternoon trains being on the same time as the usual Saturday and Sunday afternoon trains. As the shooting season opens next Saturday no doubt a large number of sportsmen and others will take advantage of the rates and train service to spend practically three days in the woods. On account of the special train service on Labor day the usual suburban train to and from Shawnigan lake will not be operated on that day.

Opening Exercises.—The principal and staff of the Girl's Central school beg to announce that their opening exercises will take place in the Pemberton gymnasium on Friday afternoon the 31st inst. at 2:15 p. m. In order to provide better seating accommodation for visitors the programme of junior and intermediate classes will precede that of the seniors. The school will be assisted in their musical programme by Mr. Longfield's orchestra. The Rev. Leslie Clay has kindly promised to deliver the address to the entrance class and present diplomas to the successful candidates. The roll of honor will be awarded by Mr. E. J. Huggert, chairman of the school board and promotion lists read by the principal. Trustees, clergy, parents and the public generally are cordially invited to be present.

A Trade Matter.—A letter has been received at the provincial bureau of information from Hon. J. H. Turner, agent-general in London, enclosing a communication from the editor of the Magazine of Commerce in relation to publishing inquiries from British Columbia on business matters, such as asking for parties desiring to find business agents for particular goods from British Columbia for sale in the United Kingdom, or goods from Great Britain for British Columbia. As a number of such notices appear in the London press from other Canadian provinces, Mr. Turner suggests that possibly business men in British Columbia would like similar announcements published. The editor of the Magazine of Commerce offers to publish all such free of charge, and some other papers are adopting a similar course.

Y. M. C. A. Work.—At a meeting of the physical committee of the Y. M. C. A., preliminary arrangements were made for the winter's work. The members of the association are firmly convinced that the coming winter will be the most successful in their history, and as the various committees are already astir and alive to the fact, some important developments are expected during the next few weeks, after the big excursion has become a thing of the past. Last evening the question of a larger gymnasium for the purpose of improving the abilities of the basketball teams was discussed, and it was decided to call a full meeting for September 7. A recommendation was received from the football committee for the purchase of a football for the game which has been arranged to take place at Ganges Harbor on Labor Day, and adopted.

QUESTION OF LICENCES.

The special committee from the city council appointed to inquire into the license question are having considerable trouble in making satisfactory recommendation. So far they have made good progress but there still remains a great deal to be attended to. It has been learned that the recommendations which have been made are very strict and the penalty for the violation of the new laws will also be made much stronger. The committee has taken into consideration practically every description of license from which the city obtains revenue.

The committee is yet a long way from having completed their labors, and it is not likely that they will finish till the now celebrated water question is decided.

It will be recalled that at the time the committee was appointed His Worship was very anxious to have the report presented at once and he several times requested the chairman of the committee to present the report at as early a date as possible, but as yet the report is not forthcoming, and since the water question has come to the fore it has been almost forgotten.

Now that the committee has resumed their sessions it is understood that they will endeavor to have the report finished up without delay. Owing to the strict measures which it contains, however, it is expected that there will be a lengthy debate when the report comes before the council.

ACTIVE WORK FOR THE FALL EXHIBITION

Executive Committee Busy Completing All Arrangements For Event

The executive committee of the B. C. Agricultural association are losing no time in completing the necessary arrangements for the fall fair. During the last few days Secretary Smart and his assistants have been busily engaged in mailing advertising matter throughout the province. Already 4,033 prize lists have been mailed to various sections of British Columbia and 200 posters have also been sent out.

It is the intention of the secretary to have a large poster in every hotel in the length and breadth of the province as well as Edmonton and Calgary with this in view 1,800 posters 1,500 half sheets and 20,000 dodgers have been secured and will be distributed throughout the country within the next week.

An advertising agent will be sent out in a few days to a party to the work of distributing the advertising matter. A special effort will be made to attract visitors from the interior especially the Northwest territories.

It is the intention of the committee to endeavor to arrange an excursion rate from Edmonton and Calgary with the C. P. R. good for thirty days.

From the information received it is likely that a good number will be present from this section and with a cheap rate many more will be induced to visit Victoria.

They will also endeavor to arrange an excursion from Port Angeles as it is a well known fact that the residents of that city are always anxious to make the trip to Victoria.

The Nanaimo band has also been secured for two days of the fair and will draw a good number from the coal city.

The judges for the various departments have been secured and are as follows: F. M. Logan, secretary Live Stock and Dairymen's Association, light horses and dairy cattle; Andrew Elliott, Galt, Ont., beef cattle, sheep and swine; Geo. Heggy, manager of Sir Arthur Steppes' ranch, Endersby, heavy horses; F. Edwards and J. Graham, poultry; Jas. Townsley, B. C. Rice mills, grain; Frank Sere and J. W. Martindale, vegetables and farm produce; Martin Burrell, Grand Forks, fruit; W. F. Burton and F. B. Pemberton, professional flowers; S. Russell, W. B. Gage and W. J. Savory, amateur flowers; W. R. Armstrong, North Saanich, honey and dairy produce; Mrs. E. A. Thaw and Mrs. Bickford, ladies fancy work; Mrs. M. Young and Mrs. J. McGregor, cookery; Miss Martindale, cookery for girls under 16 years; J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture and E. B. Paul, natural history.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Aids to Navigation of Which Notice Is Given From Ottawa.

The following notices to mariners have been issued by the department of marine and fisheries: H. Newcomb; C. G. S. "Kestrel," reports a very dangerous uncharted rock in the entrance to Prince Rupert harbor, the prospective Pacific terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Lat. N. 54 degrees 13' 48, Long. W. 130 22 21.

From the rock the islet off Lima point bears N. 49 degrees W. distant 4 cables; the north tangent of Kiunahan islands S. 2 degrees E.

The rock which is just awash at extreme low tides is now marked by several pieces of kelp, which appeared since the harbor was entered by the "Quadra" in the middle of May. There is a good channel, carrying 12 fathoms, between the rock and Lima point. This danger has been named Kestrel rock.

About 15th August, 1906, a fixed red sector will be established in the light located on the northeastern point of Fairway island, western side of Chatham strait, and in the eastern entrance to Peril strait, Alaska.

The red sector will cover an arc of 34 degrees from S. 3 degrees E to S. 31 degrees W. over Morris reef making off from Hayes point, northern side of the eastern entrance to Peril strait.

Capt. Austin S. French, master of the steamer "Sea Lion," reports the existence of an uncharted rock in Pasley passage, Suttley channel, with 9 feet on it at low water, where the charts show 21 to 40 fathoms. Lat. N. 50 degrees 51 20, Long. W. 129 40 20. Reliable bearings could not be taken on account of foggy weather; the position, therefore, must be considered doubtful.

A list of all the lights and fog signals on the Pacific Coast of the Dominion of Canada, corrected to the 1st April 1906, has just been published. Copies will be supplied to mariners free on application.

The marine insurance writer of the London Times remarks as important the decision arising out of the salvage case of the "Hohenzollern" to the effect that in future, for purposes of award, the value of the ship and cargo is to be taken as the value of the vessel in her damaged condition to her owners, and not her market value. With vessels built for particular purposes and engaged in certain trades such value would be much greater than if sold in the open market.


CALIFORNIA RESORTS.

Reached by the Southern Pacific Co's scenic Shasta Route and Coast Line. Two trains daily. Tickets, reservations, etc., at union ticket office, 608 First Ave., Seattle. E. E. Ellis, General Agent.

UNAPPRECIATED VISITOR

Slumbered in Flower Box and Was Fined for Drunkenness.

In the police court yesterday morning a visitor to the Tourist association was fined \$2.50 and costs for drunkenness. First let it be distinctly understood that the officers of the Tourist association were not so remiss in hospitality as to cause this. It was a police constable. The officer found the visitor asleep, as comfortably as was convenient considering the fact that one of the flower-boxes which front the Fort street rooms, was his bed. He slept there with the sweet smell of the flowers at his nostrils and with the close-clustered floral for his couch until the rude clang of the police patrol gong awakened him that he might ride away before sunrise in the early morning yesterday to the lock up to await the coming of the magistrate who fined him for being drunk.



New York City, APR 9 1906.

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The publishers of "PRINTERS' INK," the leading printingtrade journal, in its issue of April 18th last, inserted the above guarantee that "The Colonist" statement of circulation is correct.

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Are made on this basis. "Cash is King, and Coin Talks." When you buy space in The Colonist, you are not paying for padding, but good, live, cash-in-advance circulation. The circulation that goes into the homes is the circulation that counts.

SPORTS

LACROSSE

Vancouver Defeated:

The Maple Leafs succeeded in defeating the Vancouver team Wednesday in Recreation park, by a score of 50.

It cannot be said that the result was a surprise to the large crowd of spectators who witnessed the game, because it looked like a foregone conclusion from the start, says the News-Advertiser. Whether it was that Vancouver was suffering from the hard game of Saturday last, when they had to extend themselves to the extreme limit, and a few points beyond, in order to win out in a game which they thought they thought, having what was considered a stronger team than last Saturday's, they would not have such a hard fight, is a story which will not have to be told. It is that as it may, the Mount Pleasant aggregation started in at the very beginning to score the first goal, and it looked as if they were pursuing a "possum game," and waiting for the Vancouver team to force them. The consequence of this was that although the green and maroon handled the ball a great deal more in the first half than the Leafs, they were kept well out of the Leafs' way, and although they fought like demons they could not rent the stone-wall defence of their opponents, and when the latter got a chance to relieve they did it in grand style and pressed the Vancouver defence to the limit.

THE RING

Gans and Nelson in Trim

Goldfield, Nev., Aug. 30.—The sale of seats for the Gans-Nelson fight today shows that an enormous crowd will witness the Labor Day battle. From San Francisco, Seattle, Los Angeles, Denver, Salt Lake, and from Chicago and other distant points, delegations of the sporting fraternity will be on hand to see the light-weight contest for the championship.

Gans is impatient for the fight to begin, as he declares he wants to show the public what he can do at a weight which suits him. He is said to have bet a large bunch of ready money on himself and to have advised his friends to take the short end.

THE TURF

Fall Meeting

Two days' horse racing has been arranged for in connection with the provincial exhibition, which takes place at New Westminster on October 3 to 5. Each day will have five events, and as the races are very good, it is expected that a good number of horses will enter. The list of events will be as follows:

No. 1—3-minute class, trot or pace; 1 mile heats, best three in five—Purse, \$150.

No. 2—5-minute class, trot or pace; 1 mile heats, best three in five—Purse, \$200.

No. 3—One mile, trot or pace; 1 mile heats, best three in five—Purse, \$200.

No. 4—2-40 class, trot or pace; 1 mile heats, best three in five—Purse, \$200.

No. 5—Five furlongs, weight for age—Purse, \$200.

No. 6—Trot or pace, free for all; 1 mile heats, best three in five—Purse, \$200.

No. 7—One mile, New Westminster handicap—Purse, \$200.

No. 8—Six furlongs, weight for age—Purse, \$200.

No. 9—Five furlongs, weight for age—Purse, \$200.

No. 10—(Post entries) Consolation race (running), weight for age, for non-winners at this meeting; 1 mile—Purse, \$150.

THE OAR

Seattle Organizes

The rowing enthusiasts of Seattle have organized themselves into a club under the name of the Seattle Rowing Club, and will apply for admission into the N. P. A. A. It is well known that Lake Washington has been selected as the permanent course for the N. P. A. A. races, and in order that Seattle might be represented in the events of the regatta, a club was formed at once. The election of officers resulted in: A. J. Balliet being chosen president; P. J. Baxter, secretary, and P. D. Hughes, treasurer. In the president and treasurer the new club have two experienced oarsmen, who have not only demonstrated their ability in the East, but also on this coast. Balliet was a member of the Yale crew, and Hughes was at one time a member of the Seattle club when that city was represented in the association. It is the intention of the new club to erect a rowing house at Lake Washington, and everything possible will be done to further the interests of the sport in that city.

THE RIFLE

In the Kirkpatrick Cup match, open to teams of affiliated associations, awarded to the team making highest score in the Walker and Dominion matches, the cup and \$20 went to the Fifth Regiment, Canadian artillery, Victoria, 720; second, \$20 to the Forty-eighth Highlanders, Toronto, 718. Next in order were the Third D. C. G. R., 708; the R. C. 702; 6th, D. C. O. R., Victoria, 702.

In the Caron Cup match for Tyro teams, awarded to the team making the highest aggregate score at 500 and 600 yards only in the Tyro, Bankers, MacDougall and Dominion matches, the first prize, cup and \$20, went to the 69th Annapolis regiment, 574; second, \$10, to the Queen's Own Rifles, 548. Next in order were the 48th Highlanders, 547; 13th, Hamilton, 545; 43rd D. C. O. R., 538.

The Gillespie cup match is a challenge cup for the team and a medal for the highest individual score, for the highest aggregate in the Bankers, MacDougall, Walker and Dominion matches. The first prize, the cup and \$20, went to the 48th Highlanders, 1269; second, \$10, to the Fifth Canadian Artillery, Victoria, 1261, and the next in order were the 10th D. C. O. R., 1250; 10th, R. Grens, 1244; 43rd D. C. O. R., 1241; G. F. G., 1233.

In the Kirkpatrick the scores of the winning team, 5th C. A., were as follows: Sergt. F. Richardson, 127; Sergt. Major J. Cayen, 125; G. R. Sergt. R. Lettice, 106; Sergt. C. E. Carr, 125; Sergt. A. Brashaw, 120; Corp. R. J. Butler, 116.

HAD AN AWFUL TIME

But Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Cured Him.

It is with pleasure that I give you this unqualified testimonial. About a year ago when I had a very severe case of measles I got caught into a bad cold and the measles settled in my stomach and bowels. I had an awful time and had it not been for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not have possibly lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy I am strong and well. I have written the above through simple gratitude and I shall always speak in good word for this remedy.—Sam H. Gwin, Concord, Ga. For sale by all druggists.

MENTALITY OF ANIMALS.

An interesting Address by Ernest Seton-Thompson at Winnipeg.

Boys and girls of all sizes and ages, were held spellbound in the lecture hall of the Carnegie library Saturday evening while Ernest Seton-Thompson talked in his inimitable style of various animals, especially wolves, illustrating their mental capacities, habits and instincts says the Winnipeg Free Press. Attorney General Campbell took the chair.

The lecturer thanked the Natural History society for giving him this opportunity of meeting so many friends. The society was young in years, he said, and not so well known as it ought to be; but he looked forward to its development until it would number thousands of members. The best title of his address would be "The Mentality of Animals." He proposed to give very little theory, but rather concrete illustrations. There were two classes of naturalists who were doing all they could to kill each other over this question. The one class held to the old-fashioned extreme idea, that animals are born with wild bound instincts and so continue without change; the others hold that an animal has the power of reason and that everything it knows it has got to be taught by its parents, friends and companions; in other words must go to school for education. Both of these views are extreme and, therefore, wrong, but there is some truth in each. The difference between man and animals is one of degree, not of kind. In proceeding to give illustrations showing how animals can change to meet new surroundings, the lecturer said he had all his life lived among wolves whenever he could. He had been a wolf hunter and last September and October he spent three weeks with wolves around him every night. He characterized the wolf generally as simply a big wild dog. England was cleaned of wolves 600 years ago and Scotland 175 years ago; but on the continent they are still in every land where there is enough country—that is everywhere except Holland and parts of Belgium. He could give the names of fifty remarkable wolves, but he would tell about one or two only. He gave at some length the account of a giant wolf in France which cleaned out large districts by inspiring fear and killing many people, until an appeal was made to the king who ordered prayer to be offered in all churches and offered a bounty of \$5,000 in gold and called on his whole standing army of 20,000 men, who took six weeks to accomplish the destruction of the beast on September 15th, 1764. Many wolves were slaughtered in North America in 1885-87 until in 1888-89, they became so scarce that scarcely a grey wolf was to be seen; but since 1889 they have been steadily increasing, and now they are more plentiful than they were twenty-five years ago. The wolf is regarded by the Indians as an ideal scout—he sees everything, and nobody sees him. The speaker illustrated the various calls by which the wolf uses its voice in communication with others. There are about half a dozen of these calls.

The speaker, at the close, was tendered a very cordial vote of thanks on behalf of the Natural History society.

FINE AS SILK.

That is What a Little Girl Says of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

I am a little girl eight years of age, do not know much, but one thing I do know, and that is that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is fine as silk for any one with a stomach ache. I have never had a pain in my stomach, but I have used it and was relieved at once. Maude Ellen Wood, Clifton, Va. This remedy is for sale by all druggists.

A BATTLE IS IMMINENT.

Opposing Forces, Ready for the Fray, Facing Each Other in Havana.

Havana, Aug. 30.—General Avelas and Pino Guerra are close to each other tonight, near Guanacay, whither Avelas with 1,000 cavalry, mounted infantry, regular troops and recruits, marched today from Sabalo. The Associated Press correspondent with Gen. Avelas reports that many recruits fell out along the march from illness. The opposing forces are so close tonight that a battle is expected shortly.

The only fight of consequence reported today was a three-hour conflict between 150 rural guards and volunteers and an insurgent band, estimated at number 300, near Campo Florido, west of Havana. Fifty insurgents were killed and many more wounded.

Reports of surrender in compliance with the government's offer of amnesty were numerous tonight, and the other hand the insurrection has received some recruits. Col. Carlos Gaus, a prominent resident of San Antonio De los Baños, has joined the insurrection, followed by his friends, forming the nucleus of a new band. Public knowledge of the but behind the scenes in several places is having a decidedly favorable effect on the government, as showing the undisciplined condition of this much vaunted army.

QUEEN WILHELMINA'S BIRTHDAY

Charming Little Lady Ruler of Holland Is Twenty-six Today.

The Hague, Aug. 30.—Queen Wilhelmina received the congratulations of the foreign diplomats on the occasion of her twenty-sixth birthday. The observance of the anniversary was quite general throughout Holland, though the people have not yet recovered from the gloom cast over them by the recent announcement that the successful anticipation of the Queen of giving birth to an heir to the throne had again been frustrated.

Queen Wilhelmina succeeded to the throne on the death of her father in 1890, and was formally inaugurated sovereign of the Netherlands on Sept. 6, 1898. On Feb. 7, 1900, the young couple married Prince Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. On two previous occasions her majesty has been prematurely confined—namely, November, 1901, and September, 1902—each time the hopes of the country being disappointed. Should the queen die without offspring the House of Orange, which has been associated with Holland since the 11th century, will become extinct.

HYPPLER WAS AN EMBEZZLER

On a Gigantic Scale—He Manipulated Millions of Dollars.

Philadelphia, Aug. 30.—An examination of the list of securities held by the defunct Real Estate Trust Company today disclosed the fact that Frank K. Hyppler, president of the institution, had committed suicide, was an embezzler. Receiver Earle declared that Hyppler had hypothecated \$50,000 worth of paper, securing \$50,000 for the securities, which he never returned. Receiver Earle further declared that President Hyppler embezzled the \$50,000,000 he loaned to Adolph Segal, the promoter, as the directors had no knowledge of the loans.

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RECORD CROP OF WHEAT.

Portage la Prairie, Aug. 30.—William Fulton of Oakland has the record crop of the season for this district. This week he threshed a field of 35 acres, which yielded 1406 bushels of No. 1 Northern wheat, which is an average of 37 bushels to the acre. Threshing in this district is well under way and the yield is fair, averaging about 22 bushels to the acre. Most of the farmers are loading the grain in cars.

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KITCHENER'S NEXT COMMAND

May Be in Ireland—Another English Channel Swimmer Baulked.

London, Aug. 30.—The Tribune states that it is rumored that General Lord Kitchener will soon be appointed to the Irish command.

T. W. Burgess made another attempt yesterday to swim the English channel. He took a course over the Goodwin sands, but the effort was unsuccessful. He was in the water eighteen hours.

PACKING HOUSE DISCIPLINE.

United States Government Taking a Strong Hand for Pure Food.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Nothing short of the placing upon meat products, labels which will not deceive the public, was the ultimatum which Secretary Wilson delivered to forty representatives of various packing houses who met here today. The elimination of certain advertising features on the labels will also be insisted upon.

JUST ORDINARY MURDER.

Tientsin, Aug. 30.—M. Laptew, the Russian consul here, who was shot yesterday by a Russian contractor named Levinsky, died at 2 o'clock this morning. The murderer is not a revolutionist.

RUMORS OF CONSPIRACY.

Havana, Aug. 30.—Rumor is busy today with suggestions of a conspiracy among the police and an open quarrel between President Palma and Vice-President Mendez Capote. Both reports lack definite confirmation.

In certain quarters Capote is suspected of bargaining with the insurgents.

In the reported quarrel at the palace later words are said to have passed, culminating in Palma denouncing Capote as a traitor. The vice-president is said to have replied that Palma was a president without power.

Two Engagements

Havana, Aug. 30.—A fight took place last night at Calabazar, Havana, between 50 insurgents and 15 rural guards. The guards retreated with one man wounded.

An engagement between insurgents and government troops is reported to have occurred last night near Artemisa, province of Pinar Del Rio, near the Havana border. The result is not known.

Several exchanges of shots have been reported at various places west of Guantamo, near the Havana border, in Pinar Del Rio. Reinforcements of 50 rural guards have been sent there.

It sometimes happens that a married man has a great deal to say, but his wife won't let him say it.

"Let go the anchor!" yelled the captain. "I ain't touching it," said the new deck hand.

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Blanchard Avenue, east side, from Courtney Street to Pandora Avenue;

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(Reported by F. W. Stevenson.)
New York, Aug. 30.—The following quotations ruled on the stock exchange today:

Stock	Open	High	Low	Close
A. T. & S. P.	107 1/2	107 3/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
B. & O.	110 1/2	110 3/4	110 1/4	110 1/2
C. & G. W.	75 1/2	75 3/4	75 1/4	75 1/2
C. & O.	65 1/2	65 3/4	65 1/4	65 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	170 1/2	170 3/4	170 1/4	170 1/2
C. P. & St. P.	170 1/2	170 3/4	170 1/4	170 1/2
C. T. & P.	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/4	12 1/2
Erie Ry.	47 1/2	47 3/4	47 1/4	47 1/2
L. & N.	150 1/2	150 3/4	150 1/4	150 1/2
M. & P.	98 1/2	98 3/4	98 1/4	98 1/2
N. Y. & N. H.	114 1/2	114 3/4	114 1/4	114 1/2
N. Y. & W.	103 1/2	103 3/4	103 1/4	103 1/2
N. Y. & O.	50 1/2	50 3/4	50 1/4	50 1/2
P. & N. E.	142 1/2	142 3/4	142 1/4	142 1/2
R. I. & C.	28 1/2	28 3/4	28 1/4	28 1/2
S. P. & N. E.	91 1/2	91 3/4	91 1/4	91 1/2
Union Pac.	100 1/2	100 3/4	100 1/4	100 1/2
Wabash Ry.	20 1/2	20 3/4	20 1/4	20 1/2
do. pd.	45 1/2	45 3/4	45 1/4	45 1/2
Ann. Cop.	110 1/2	110 3/4	110 1/4	110 1/2
Ann. C. O.	32 1/2	32 3/4	32 1/4	32 1/2
Ann. Loco.	72 1/2	72 3/4	72 1/4	72 1/2
Ann. Smelt.	158 1/2	158 3/4	158 1/4	158 1/2
Ann. Sugar.	140 1/2	140 3/4	140 1/4	140 1/2
C. P. & L.	57 1/2	57 3/4	57 1/4	57 1/2
Cent. Leather.	30 1/2	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
F. S. & M. pd.	36 1/2	36 3/4	36 1/4	36 1/2
Gen. Paper.	18 1/2	18 3/4	18 1/4	18 1/2
Gen. Gas.	91 1/2	91 3/4	91 1/4	91 1/2
Ry. Steel Spg.	54 1/2	54 3/4	54 1/4	54 1/2
U. S. Steel.	47 1/2	47 3/4	47 1/4	47 1/2
U. S. Steel.	108 1/2	108 3/4	108 1/4	108 1/2
W. P. & L.	91 1/2	91 3/4	91 1/4	91 1/2

Sales to noon, 571,100 shares; total sales for the day, 1,328,000 shares; total sales money on call, 5 1/2 to 8 per cent; ruling rate, 6 1/2 per cent; last loan, 7 per cent.

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CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

(Reported by F. W. Stevenson.)
Chicago, Aug. 30.—The following quotations ruled on the board of trade today:

Grain	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat, No. 2	70 1/2	70 3/4	70 1/4	70 1/2
Sept.	70 1/2	70 3/4	70 1/4	70 1/2
Dec.	71 1/2	71 3/4	71 1/4	71 1/2
Mar.	72 1/2	72 3/4	72 1/4	72 1/2
Corn, No. 2	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/4	78 1/2
Sept.	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/4	78 1/2
Dec.	79 1/2	79 3/4	79 1/4	79 1/2
Mar.	80 1/2	80 3/4	80 1/4	80 1/2
Oats, No. 2	48 1/2	48 3/4	48 1/4	48 1/2
Sept.	48 1/2	48 3/4	48 1/4	48 1/2
Dec.	49 1/2	49 3/4	49 1/4	49 1/2
Mar.	50 1/2	50 3/4	50 1/4	50 1/2
Barley, No. 2	29 1/2	29 3/4	29 1/4	29 1/2
Sept.	29 1/2	29 3/4	29 1/4	29 1/2
Dec.	30 1/2	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 1/2
Mar.	31 1/2	31 3/4	31 1/4	31 1/2
Flour, No. 1	17 1/2	17 3/4	17 1/4	17 1/2
Sept.	17 1/2	17 3/4	17 1/4	17 1/2
Dec.	18 1/2	18 3/4	18 1/4	18 1/2
Mar.	19 1/2	19 3/4	19 1/4	19 1/2

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BRITISH BOWLERS GOING HOME.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 29.—The British bowlers arrived in Toronto last night from Western Ontario, and will stay here till Friday, when they leave for home. They will play no more games in Canada.

Rev. Elmore Harris, D. D., a well known Baptist clergyman, fractured his skull on Muskoka lake yesterday.

St. Catharines, Ont., Aug. 29.—The Grand Lodge True Blues of Canada is in session here. A feature of the session will be the burning of the mortgage on the True Blue orphanage at Picton.

PUMPKIN PIE DAY IN COLORADO.

The National Dish Was Worshipped With Due and Fitting Ceremony.

Longmont, Colo., Aug. 29.—The annual pumpkin pie day celebration was held in Longmont today. What melon day is to Rocky Ford and peach day to other sections is pumpkin pie day to Longmont. This locality has made the day an annual institution in order to make the world acquainted with the fact that more pumpkins and better pumpkins, to say nothing of numerous other products of orchard and garden, are raised hereabouts than anywhere else in the country. On the day of the celebration pumpkin pie may be had for the asking. It is free to the towns people and free to the many visitors who come in from the surrounding country. There are festivities of all kinds and today there was an added attraction in the way of a good programme of trotting and running races at the driving park.

A VERY GRAVE OFFENCE.

A Trade Mark Which Is Infringed by Many Dealers.

(From Montreal Gazette, August 15, 1906.)

The despatch from London, Eng., telling of the tailor who was sent to jail by a police magistrate for misrepresenting some tweed and infringing the Trade Mark Act, brings home the criminal conduct of retailers, who repeatedly deceive their customers. In this case it was found out that the tailor was advertising suits made to order from Harris tweed. He did not have a yard of Harris tweed in his store.

In Canada some dealers are lax in their morals in this respect. The Slater shoe, which is the shining mark in the commercial world, is perhaps the favorite choice of the infringers. The Slater Shoe Company receive letters nearly every day from people who say they bought Slater shoes from dealers who never had a Slater shoe in their store. The deceived customer wants a new pair of Slater shoes for three months' imitations. One can conceive their indignation at the deception practiced upon them. All sorts of subterfuges are practiced.

Some dealers surely are lax in the gravity of the offence. The real Slater shoe has a Slater State trade mark, which is plainly marked upon the shoe. The good nature of the company is taxed to its limit when some of these letters are received from the victims of substitutors and imitators.

VICTIM OF A VENDETTA.

Man Stabbed to Death With a Stiletto While at Work.

Binghamton, N. Y., Aug. 29.—Eugene Messenger, night foreman at the works of the American Bridge company at Athens, Pa., was murdered last night while at work in the plant. He was stabbed with a stiletto.

About four weeks ago the superintendent of the bridge company received a note stating that he had better discharge him if he wanted to live. The police are working on the case.

OLD, OLD STORY, EVER NEW.

London Shopkeepers Trust the Slick American and Got Left.

London, Aug. 29.—A well dressed young American, posing as a member of the Harvard crew, victimized West End tradesmen out of several hundred pounds sterling during the last week. Registering at the large hotels under the name of one of the Harvard crew, he would go to shops and order clothes and other articles to be sent to the hotel where he was stopping, asking that the bill be forwarded the next day. In every case the tradesmen fell into the trap, and the articles were sent, but when the collectors went for the money, they were informed that the man had left soon after the arrival of the parcel.

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THE DISTINGUISHED DEAD.

Russian Emperor Takes Risks to Honor His Murdered General.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 28.—The shelter of the palace enclosure at Peterhof yesterday to attend a funeral mass over the body of General Min in the Peterhof camp, a considerable distance from the palace, but the precautions for the protection of the Imperial family were adequate and the sovereign returned to the palace without incident. Several of the grand dukes and members of the Imperial family were present. The body of General Min was brought to St. Petersburg today on board a royal train under the special Imperial palace, which is used only in journeys of the Emperor between St. Petersburg and Peterhof. The Southern railway met the body at the station and escorted it to the regimental chapel. Officers and men of the regiment have received many communications threatening them with bombs and other reprisals.

The funeral of the victim of the bomb explosion of Saturday last at the residence of Premier Stolypin were held today under military escort.

CLEVER FRENCH SWINDLER.

A Versatile Genius Who Married Fourteen Women.

Paris, Aug. 29.—It is a fact that can scarcely be denied that the most extraordinary charlatans and adventurers of the world has known have hailed from Paris, France. There is one now in Paris, according to his record, may claim place with the most clever and notorious of his class. This is a man named Laparra, who has just been placed on trial for forgery, bigamy, fraud, and illegal wearing of decorations. The evidence goes to show that he has posed as a Russian prince, a Polish count, a French general, and an American millionaire. He began life as a common soldier and rose to be sergeant major. Then leaving the army he became successively schoolmaster, book agent, fruit merchant, building contractor, church organist, mine manager, and eventually insurance company director. The company consisted of himself alone, but before that fact was brought to light he had secured many thousands of dollars. In his various impersonations he is said to have married fourteen women, some six of whom have come forward to give evidence against him. Laparra speaks several languages, and what makes his conviction most difficult is the fact that he has developed the art of facial alteration to such an extent as to make identification almost impossible.

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FOR SALE—Oscar street, 9 roomed two storey house, for \$1,500. (1033)

FOR SALE—Beacon street (James Bay), 6 roomed modern bungalow and corner lot. (1032)

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10 ACRES—All cultivated, house, barn, 9 head stock, horse, buggy, etc.; \$3,800.

17 ACRES—Near town, mostly cultivated; \$4,000.

16 ACRES—Gordon Head, mostly cultivated, on water; \$250 per acre.

2 ACRES—St. Charles St., lovely building site; \$3,000.

8 ROOMED HOUSE in good order, on Cadboro Bay Road, with furniture; \$2,500.

\$150 WILL BUY a good lot in Victoria West.

MODERN BUNGALOW—Pretty design, corner lot, facing Beacon Hill Park. A bargain—\$1,150.

TO RENT—Two furnished houses in good locality; 2 1/2 acres; lovely building site; 10 minutes from P. O. Only \$2,000.

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10 ACRES—All cultivated; house, barn, stock, horse and buggy, etc.; \$3,800.

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20 ACRES—10 minutes from car line; first class land; good investment at \$325 per acre.

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35 FORT STREET

\$2,500—138 acres, 60 cultivated, suitable for dairy; fine house, Cowichan.

\$2,800—70 acres, all good bottom land, 23 cultivated, 50 fenced; Cowichan.

\$1,000—8 acres; small cottage; Deadman's River.

\$11,500—317 acres, 90 cultivated; 5 room cottage; good land.

\$2,000—200 acres, 10 cultivated; cottage, orchard; Cobble Hill.

\$5,000—48 acres, 7 slashed, 20 water bottom; 15 minutes from city waterfront.

\$5,500—100 acres, 40 cultivated, 20 slashed; 5 room house, barn. Easy terms. Cheapest farm on the market at Shawigan.

\$5,500—100 acres, 30 cultivated; 7 room house, orchard; 8 miles out.

\$550—160 acres; 4 room cottage, barn; 40 acres good land, balance heavy timber.

\$2,250—10 acres, 7 acres in fruit; 5 room cottage, stable, outhouses, good well; 5 miles out.

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WANTED—A few acres in the vicinity of the city, under strawberries.

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WANTED—Buyers to call to see our lake houses, lots, farms and acreage for sale.

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ACRE OF GOOD GARDEN, with handsome residence of eight rooms, on car line, in good locality in East End. A BARGAIN.

PRETTY SIX ROOMED COTTAGE—New and modern; corner lot, close to the Park and sea. Only \$2,350.

ACRE FINE LAND—Six roomed cottage; 80 bearing fruit trees of all varieties, small fruits, barn, chicken houses. This is a "PICK-UP" for some one, as the owner is leaving the city, and will include cows, chickens, crops, hay in barn, etc. CALL EARLY IF YOU DESIRE A BARGAIN.

NEARLY AN ACRE of the orchard, close to High school. ONLY \$1,200.

TWO LOTS WITH COTTAGE For \$500.

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TEN ACRES of fine property, all splendid ground, just outside the city, and facing on the sea. This is a bargain for \$4,500.

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8 ROOMED HOUSE—Near Douglas street; foundation; sewer; excellent order; \$1,700.

6 ROOMED COTTAGE—James Bay; bath, electric light, sewer; stable, orchard, 2.5 acre; \$1,750 cash required, \$500 balance, monthly instalments. This is worth looking up.

LARGE BRICK HOUSE—In fine order; first class investment; close in; \$3,200.

1 LOT—Just off Oak Bay avenue, 60x120; \$250.

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102 GOVERNMENT STREET.

50 ACRES—40 acres in crop; barn and stable, 8 roomed dwelling, orchard; near railway; \$5,000. Stock for sale.

SPLENDID FARM of 121 acres, all cleared and cultivated, in North Saanich; \$15,000. Will sell in parcels of 30, 50 or 70 acres.

DWELLING—EASY TERMS—9 rooms, all modern conveniences, concrete foundation; front fence and walk built of concrete; lot 58x120; near Central school. A snap at \$2,650; \$500 down, balance \$25 per month.

FOUR DWELLINGS and a lot for \$1,500.

FOR SALE—\$2,000—Hotel, stable and out-buildings, two lots and business. It is well situated on a fishing resort, in close proximity to the Cowichan and Koksilah rivers. A good opportunity for suitable parties. At this price it is a bargain.

FURNISHED HOUSE—In good location on Yates street; 8 rooms—\$45 per month.

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SOUTH SAANICH—17 acres good land, with access to Saanich Arm. Price, \$550.

LAKE DISTRICT—150 acres, 30 cultivated, 120 pasture. Price, \$5,000.

COWICHAN STATION (within 3 miles)—180 acres, 12 cultivated, 15 acres pasture, situated on the 3rd road cutting, near the station; property bounded on 3 sides by Koksilah river. Very cheap, \$2,600.

OAK BAY—Superb site for suburban home, with view of water and close to tram; 3 acres. Price, \$3,000.

COWICHAN—Over 60 acres, 7 cultivated, 20 pasture; cottage and buildings; 50 sheep, and implements; a good cow. Price \$2,250; cash over \$3,000.

FARM—140 acres, 1 1/2 miles from station. Sold 1892 for \$2,200. Mortgage sale. Price, \$750.

RICHMOND RD., south of Jubilee Hospital—Over 60 lots on wide streets; fine situation. Price from \$125 to \$200 per lot, on terms.

SPECULATION—Blocks of the above at liberal discount for quick sales.

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45 FORT STREET

SOUTH SAANICH—17 acres, nearly all good fruit land; access can be had to sea. \$50 per acre.

SHOAL BAY—Two acres of uncleared land; \$500.

SHOAL BAY—Two acres cleared and with house; \$3,150.

OAK BAY AVE.—15 acres with frontage on Oak Bay avenue \$750 per acre. Back 5 acres, \$600 per acre.

HEAD ST.—7-10 of an acre of cleared land, ready for building on; \$1,000.

SHOAL BAY—Comfortably furnished bungalow, from 1st September.

CARRIERY GARDENS—Large partially furnished house, at a very low rate to suitable tenant.

STANLEY AVENUE—Large furnished house in good repair. \$50 per month.

WANTED—FURNISHED HOUSE—To rent, furnished house or cottage. Apply Box 302 Colonist. Jy19

MISLAID—Pocketbook containing papers and small sum of money. Owner's name inside. Reward at this office. au29

WANTED—FEMALE HELP—Wanted—Girl to assist in store. Apply with reference, to 76 Government street. au30

WANTED—Girl attending High school, board for light services. Apply 217 Pandora avenue. au30

WANTED—Sewing hands for fur business. Apply P. O. Box 146. au30

WANTED—Skirt and waist hands, and helpers; also apprentices. Henry Young & Co., Dressmaking Department. au28

WANTED—Immediately, 2 waitresses; wages \$20 a month, room and board. Apply Balmoral hotel. au28

WANTED—Sewing hands. Spencer's Fur Department. au26

WANTED—Girl wanted for housework; good wages, comfortable home. Apply Mrs. Macfarlan, 2 Sylvia street, James Bay. au26

WANTED—Reliable mothers' help; two positions offered; good wages and considerate homes. Apply 60 Rae street. au25

WANTED—Immediately, an experienced nurse; baby about 10 months; good wages and kind home to suitable woman. Apply 60 Rae street. au25

WANTED—A waitress. Apply at Dominion hotel. au23

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Middle-aged lady wishes position as lady's companion (travelling preferred). Address "L. A.," 1047 Denman street, Vancouver, B. C. au30

WANTED—Englishwoman, experienced housekeeper, first class cook and manager, seeks position in bachelor's or widower's family, in or near Victoria or Vancouver. Address Box 414 this office. au20

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—By a respectable middle-aged woman, a position as housekeeper to one or two adults. Box 417 Colonist. au20

WANTED—Day work by woman, cooking preferred. Address Box 291 Colonist. Jy19

WANTED—MALE HELP.

\$1200 PER WEEK and expenses to person of energy and good character. State age and give references. The John C. Winston Co., Limited, Toronto. au18

ADVERTISING SOLICITOR WANTED—Must be capable of handling job printing orders also. Permanent position for qualified and reliable man with good references. No other need apply. The Canadian Commercial, Limited, New Westminster, B. C. au30

WANTED—Immediately, a reliable farm hand; good milk and experienced in all ordinary farm work. Apply The Employment Agency, 60 Rae street. au25

SMART BOY WANTED. Apply Campbell's, 48 Government street. au25

WANTED—Two strong boys to learn trade. Apply Allison Stove Works. Jy19

HELP WANTED

YOUNG ENGLISHMAN—Good appearance, desires position as coachman-gardener; accustomed to horses, good gardener. References. Apply 418 Colonist office. au29

WANTED—Englishman, butler-valet, seeks situation, any capacity; age 32; good references. Box 411 Colonist office. au29

WANTED—Man and wife, man to care for one or two horses, carriage and harness, milk one cow and make himself generally useful around the premises; his wife to do cooking and general housework for small family, in Victoria; good wages will be paid for first class help. Address P. O. Box 73, city. au29

WANTED—Experienced couple for a ranch, man with capable knowledge of all farm work—milk and harvesting, etc.; wife a reliable housekeeper, good cook, etc. Apply 12 o'clock Saturday, 221-223 The Employment Agency, 60 Rae street. au25

SITUATIONS WANTED

MAN AND WIFE seek positions on ranch; man an experienced farmer in all its branches; wife a capable manager and cook; would take management of farm in absence of owner. For information, apply Employment Agency, 60 Rae street. au22

AGENTS WANTED

WANTED—A representative wanted in every town in Canada to sell made-to-order clothing. No experience necessary. Canada Tailoring Co., Toronto. au22

WANTED—Agents to sell the best grown nursery stock on the coast, including Burdick's new plant plan, Miracel Commission advanced weekly. Write quick for choice of territory. Albany Nurseries, Albany, Oregon. au18

TEACHER WANTED

TEACHER WANTED for the primary school in the Ladysmith plan. Salary \$80 per month. None without experience in this particular grade need apply. Applications to be in the hands of the undersigned on or before August 23. John Stewart, Secretary. au10

LOST

LOST—Monday afternoon, between Mr. Hugo Heaver's house, Oak Bay, and Oak Bay car, gold and pearl bracelet. Reward at The Laurels, Belcher street. au30

LOST OR STOLEN—A sable collier bitch, 10 months old. Parties retaining same after this notice liable to prosecution. Notify Box 392 Colonist office. au22

LOST—A black ostrich leather bag, either in Beacon Hill Park or Cook street via Park Bay. Finder please leave at this office. Reward. au11

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

FOR SALE—Team brown gelding horses; 5 years, 2500 lbs.; first class condition. Apply Stanley Barker, Chancery Chambers, Langley street, Victoria. au30

WANTED—Driving horse, buggy and harness; must be in good condition. Send particulars to Box 413 Colonist. au29

FOR SALE—Four hundred White Leghorns, 1000 lbs.; 10 months; at greatly reduced prices, to make room for younger stock. J. J. Douglas, Cobble Hill, B. C. au29

FOR SALE—Fresh milked young cow; extra quiet, good milker; particularly suitable for family cow. Apply J. Shaw, Colwood. au20

WANTED—Ten ewes, State age, weight and price. E. Maude, Mayne, B. C. au21

WANTED—General purpose horse or team of horses, 1,300 lbs.; must be sound and in good condition. Address J. R. Balfour, Ladysmith, B. C. au29

FOR SALE—Work horse, 1400 lbs, true and good worker; \$75. Holmes, Strawberry Vale. Jy14

FOR SALE—One black horse, five years old, sixteen hands high, very quiet. One bay horse, six years, good driver. One sorrel horse, six years, heavy set, kind, and easy going. Also a buggy, car, trap and harness. Apply J. J. Fisher's Carriage Shop, Store St. au10

BUSINESS CHANCES

FOR SALE—NORTH SAANICH HOTEL—This well known licensed house can be had at a moderate price and on easy terms. Its location is unexcelled and in the hands of the right man will be a money-maker. Property consists of 4 acres land, good buildings, etc., and is in good condition. Apply to J. Helsternman & Co., Victoria. au11

FOR SALE—Clear and candy store, as going concern, for \$500. Value of stock, \$750; guaranteed to clear from \$50 to \$75 per month. Apply on premises, 83 Johnson street, corner Broad. au10

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES

FOR SALE—Small cottage, corner Toronto and Princess street, James Bay; cheap for cash. 22 Princess street. au20

FOR SALE—Must be sold. Large house and double corner lot close to town, very cheap and on easy terms. Owner is leaving city by end of month. Apply Helsternman & Co. au10

FOR SALE—A good dwelling house and large lot, close to Fort street car. Price \$1,750. Apply Helsternman & Co. au10

THE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—60 Rae street. Business hours, 10:30 to 2 p. m. J. Devereux.

WANTED—To purchase, all kinds of surveyors' instruments, etc. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson street. Jy31

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TO LET—FURNISHED RESIDENCES

TO LET—A modern house; 6 rooms, 2 bedrooms, 3 sitting rooms, kitchen, etc.; suitable for two; electric light and all modern conveniences; quite comfortably furnished. Apply 60 Rae street. Jy20

TO RENT—Furnished houses, \$25 up; also unfurnished, \$12 upwards. Apply E. A. Harris & Co., 35 Fort street. au20

WANTED—RESIDENCES

WANTED—A 6 roomed bungalow; must be near Central school. Matson & Coles, 23 Broad street. au12

TO LET—RESIDENCES

TO RENT—Part or all of a comfortably furnished 8 room modern house on car line; good location; terms moderate. Apply Box 400 Colonist office. au28

TO LET—Nice cottage, 247 Yates street. au24

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS—To let—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Apply 57 West street; central. au29

TO LET—Six roomed furnished cottage, 14 Hillside avenue. Apply Miss Coffey, 73 1/2 Government street. au23

TO LET—Housekeeping and single rooms, 6 Douglas street, corner Humboldt. au15

TO LET—Furnished room, in private family; electric light; modern, new house, 14 Michigan street. au10

TO LET—Most desirable housekeeping rooms to let, in private family; central location to car and city; modern house, with large grounds; suitable for a party of two. Apply 60 Rae street. au1

TO RENT—Furnished room with breakfast, if required; no other roomers kept. Apply 111 Superior street. Jy31

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms, single or en suite, with use of kitchen and bath. 120 Vancouver street. Jy22

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BOARD AND ROOM

TO LET—Board, room; piano, telephone. "Belleville," Quebec street, third house from parliament buildings. au24

TO LET—Rooms and board. Moderate terms. Bath. 100 Pilsbury street, off Blanchard avenue. Jy1

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM—Wanted—Accommodation in country for gentleman and wife, middle September and October, near water. Address P. O. Box 176, Victoria, B. C. au30

FOR SALE—PROPERTY

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fine business property on Government street. Helsternman & Co., 75 Government street. au10

FOR SALE—Corner lot, Oak Bay avenue, close to sea; one acre rich soil, seven roomed bungalow and stable, sixty fruit trees, large lawn, etc. Apply to owner, E. M. Hende. Take car to Hamphshire Road. au10

FOR SALE—HOTEL

FOR SALE—Suburban hotel, as a going concern; fully furnished and doing a thriving business; together with acreage, and handy to railway. Full particulars at B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. au12

TO RENT OR FOR SALE.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE—Seven roomed cottage, bath and pantry, \$1,100; rent \$7 per month. Apply W. Carter, Washington avenue, off Gorge Road. au11

PROPERTY TO RENT

TO RENT—Large premises, corner Wharf and Bastion streets, suitable for bonded warehouses, wholesalers, etc.; occupation 1st September. Very cheap rent. B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd. au4

FOR SALE—FARM LANDS

FOR SALE—A small fruit ranch, adjoining city limits, good cottage, stable and chicken houses, all in good shape—a bargain. Address Box 339 Colonist office. Jy29

FOR SALE—Several desirable pieces of acreage, close in to centre of city. Apply Helsternman & Co. Jy21

UNFURNISHED ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—Immediately, two unfurnished rooms, central. Box 465 Colonist. au29

FOR SALE—BOATS

FOR SALE—Naphtha launch Blanche, of the following dimensions: Length, 25 feet; beam, 6 feet 3 inches; depth, 2 feet 6 inches; in first class condition. For particulars apply to E. B. Marvin & Co., 74 Wharf street. Jy18

FOR SALE—Small gasoline launch. Apply 30 Dallas Road. au10

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALASKA BAZAAR—Indian curios and souvenirs, 76 Government street, opposite Spencer's. au3

WANTED—To purchase, diamonds and old-fashioned jewelry, pictures, engravings, china, etc. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson street. Jy31

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, August 30—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

The pressure decreased today owing to
the movement of an ocean low area over
the northern part of the province, the dis-
turbance being now central in Cariboo.
Heavy rain has fallen at Port Simpson.
Showers at San Francisco and a thunder-
storm occurred at Salt Lake City. The
weather is cloudy on the coast, but fair
inland, and changes in temperature have
been unimportant. In the Northwest the
pressure is increasing, no rain has fallen,
and it has been warmer in most sections.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	54	71
Vancouver	52	76
New Westminster	54	78
Kamloops	58	88
Barkerville	44	66
Port Simpson	52	58
Atlin	38	49
Dawson, Y. T.	40	70
Calgary, Alta.	42	78
Winnipeg, Man.	38	62
Portland, Ore.	62	84
San Francisco, Cal.	56	61

FORECASTS

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time)
Friday—
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate or fresh
winds, chiefly southerly; generally fair
with stationary or lower temperature.
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds,
stronger on straits; generally fair with
not much change in temperature.

PERSONAL

Rev. John Turner of Vancouver is in the
city.
Thomas Davis of Vancouver is at the
Balmoral.
James R. Staples of Cranbrook is at the
Dominion.
W. J. Hargan and I. Smith of Los An-
geles are guests at the Dominion.
Frank Wheeler of Seattle is at the
Balmoral.
Mrs. Rucker, wife of the manager of the
fish traps at Sooke, is staying at the King
Edward.
Geo. W. Hall, a ship's carpenter and
builder of small craft, in Nelson, is at
the Dominion.
Mr. and Mrs. G. Crutshanks, well
known residents of Rossland, are regis-
tered at the Balmoral.
Jesse H. Brown, the superintendent of
the Gulf Lumber company, whose mill is
at Sider, is at the Dominion.
Mrs. and Miss Norcross of Duncan are
making a visit to the city, and are stay-
ing at Cherry Bank, Victoria Crescent.
Mrs. W. B. Smith of Craigflower road,
will be home next week, but will not re-
ceive until the first week in December.
Messrs. C. T. Dunbar and C. M. Mar-
pole of Vancouver, are at the Driford.
They control large timber limits on the Island.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gardner and son
returned yesterday from the cities on the
Sound, where they have been visiting
relatives.
G. W. Cornett, the son of a well known

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We also carry Lime Cement Plaster
of Paris, Bulging and Fire
Brick, Fire Clay. Please call and
inspect our stock before deciding.

WILL ADDRESS THE BOARD OF TRADE

Richard Grigg British Trade Com-
missioner to Deliver Address
on Tuesday

Richard Grigg, government representa-
tive of the British Board of Trade,
details of whose mission appeared
fully in yesterday's Colonist, removed
his quarters from the Driford hotel to
the Union Club.
In the morning he called upon His
Honor, the lieutenant governor, visited
the parliament buildings in company with
Mr. J. A. Mara, president of the Victoria
Board of Trade, and called upon the
Hon. Richard McBride and other
members of the government and also had
a long interview with Mr. H. M. Pal-
mer, secretary of the Bureau of Infor-
mation and in the afternoon was en-
tertained at a garden party.

Today his time will be fully occupied
with various engagements amongst which
is one at the board of trade when he
will be taken by the president for a
drive around the Saanich peninsula and
Gordon Head and will have the opportunity
of observing the agricultural and
fruit industry of the district. The re-
mainder of his time will be occupied
in making the acquaintance of the busi-
ness men of Victoria and on Tuesday
at 10:30 a. m. he will meet the coun-
cil of the board of trade for the pur-
pose of discussing the objects of his mission.

Mr. Grigg will probably remain in
Victoria until after the visit of the gov-
ernor general with whom he is anxious
to have further conversation on the varied
phases of his undertaking. Whilst the
primary object in view is to induce an
augmentation of the importation of British
manufactures into Canada he ex-
presses an equal anxiety to further the
interests of Canadian industries in the
markets of Great Britain. He gave
feeling expression to the deep interest
that he takes in the future of the Do-
minion and to his conviction of the im-
portance of purpose which forms the firm
basis of mutual aspirations between her
and the Motherland. He pointed out
that trade is largely a matter of inter-
change of products and that the more
Canada purchases from England, the
more will England purchase from her in
proof of which, if such were needed,
stands his presence in the Dominion
today for the purpose of facilitating
such intercourse.

Regarding the projected appointment
of correspondents in each province for

The Water Problem Solved

The question of pure
water is a serious
one for any commu-
nity wherever and
whenever it exists;
an easy solution is to
order and drink
only the famous
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leading analysts as
being absolutely
pure; in addition it
is in itself a sparkling
tonic and as a dilu-
ant for whisky it is
unexcelled

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the purpose of supplying continual in-
formation to the British Board of Trade,
he said that these appointments have
not yet been made and that consequen-
tly the individual selection for this pro-
vince has not yet been decided upon, but
will be settled before his departure
from Victoria.

DENTAL CONGRESS.

Biennial Meeting of Canadian Asso-
ciation Will Be Held in Montreal.

Next month, September 5-8, will
witness the gathering in this city of
the third biennial meeting of the
Canadian Dental Association, formed
at a meeting in Montreal in 1902, and
at which it is expected there will be a
big attendance of members of the
profession from all over the Dominion,
says the Montreal Star in its issue of
Saturday last. Prominent dentists
from the States will also be present,
four of whom will read papers on sub-
jects of interest to the association.

Most of the meetings and clinics will
take place at McGill University. In the
medical building. But there will be a
social as well as scientific side to the
convention, and the formal opening of
the gathering will take the form of a
reception, given by the Montreal mem-
bers of the association, in Laval Uni-
versity on the evening of September 5. At
this gathering Premier Gouin, Hon.
Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. J. I. Tarte
and other prominent personages are
expected to be present, and Dr. Bower
of Ottawa will read a paper on "Army
Dental Service"; and Dr. Eugene
Dubouché of Montreal, president of the
association, will contribute one on
"Dental Education in the Public
Schools."

The finale of the gathering will be a
banquet, to be held in the Place Viger
Hotel on the evening of September 8.
The officers of the association are:
president, Dr. Eugene Dubouché, Mont-
real; vice president, Dr. McInnes, M.
P. Brandon; secretary, Dr. C. F. Mor-
rison, Montreal.

GAZETTE NOTICES.

Some Few Appointments—Court of
Revision and Appeal.

In yesterday's issue of the B. C. Gazette
notice is given of the following appoint-
ments:

Francis Mawson Rattenbury, of the city
of Victoria, to be a justice of the peace.
Constable William L. Fernie, of Kam-
loops, to be chief constable for the Kam-
loops police district, from September 1.
Francis Parkes, of London, England,
to be a commissioner for taking
affidavits within the city of London, for
use in the courts of British Columbia.
Cecil Knox Courtney, of the city of Vic-
toria, barrister-at-law, to be acting police
magistrate of the city of Nanaimo, acting
acting magistrate for the province of
British Columbia, and acting magistrate
of the small debts court for the city of
Nanaimo and territory lying within five
miles of the said city.
James Aleck, Loyal Garrett, Joseph
Charbonneau and George Morgan, all of
Hill's Prairie, to be deputy game wardens
in and for the Delta electoral district.
Constable David Stephenson, of Nanaimo,
to be a chief constable from September 1.
Frederick Inglis, of Telegraph Creek,
M. D., to be resident physician at Tele-
graph Creek from July 1, 1906.

Robert Leck McIntosh, of Port Es-
tington, S. M., to hold a small debts court in
and for the Skeena electoral district.
William John Irwin, of North Vanco-
uver, to be a notary public in and for the
province of British Columbia.
Michael J. Feehey, of Grand Forks, to
be a license commissioner for the Grand
Forks license district.
George McKenzie McLeod, of Van Anda,
Texas Island, to be a deputy mining
recorder for the Nanaimo mining division,
with sub-recording office at Van Anda.
Thomas S. Forster, of the city of Vic-
toria, J. P., to be a court of revision and
appeal for the Nanaimo, Cowichan, Aluer-
ni, Comox, Pender Island, Galiano Island,
Mayne Island and Salt Spring Island ad-
ministration districts, from September 1, in
place of His Honor Judge Harrison, re-
signed.

Cyril Tweedale, of the city of Vanco-
uver, to be a notary public in and for the
province of British Columbia.

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PORT ANGELES ON VERGE OF A BOOM

So Says Mr. Ritchie an Enthusi-
astic Resident of Town
Across Straits

W. Ritchie of Port Angeles was among
the arrivals at the Dominion Hotel
yesterday. In the course of an inter-
view with a Colonist reporter, Mr.
Ritchie drew an animated picture of
the revival of activity and the en-
couraging nature of the outlook at the
little city across the Straits, and drew
special attention to the interest that is
in evidence among the business men of
Seattle with regard to the same. He
showed how an excursion had been
organized by a party of them, 800
strong, largely composed of men seek-
ing land and business premises in the
vicinity, the steamer chartered having
been filled to the full extent of her
authorized capacity, and the full com-
plement of passages secured some time
beforehand.

The primary cause of renewed in-
terest has been the granting of a fran-
chise to the Northern Pacific Railway
and the announcement that Port An-
geles will be made the terminus, con-
firmed by the fact of the acquirement
of some of the best land by Mr. Mc-
Chesney, the financial agent of J. J.
Hill, president of the Great Northern.

Another important feature of the
case is the transference to a great ex-
tent of the fishing industry from Se-
attle to Port Angeles by reason of its
greater proximity to the halibut banks
and the consequent great saving of
time and expense to the schooners en-
gaged therein.
"The harbor, which has every natu-
ral advantage, is the first coming in
and the last going out of the Sound,"
said Mr. Ritchie, "and is 75 miles
nearer the ocean than Seattle, with a
much superior anchorage. The fish-
ing fleet consists of some 45 to 50
schooners. These vessels, now that
the Craig Fish Product Company's
plant is completed, in place of taking
their ice at Seattle, take it at Port
Angeles, for the reason that they can
make the port in from eight to twelve
hours from the fishing banks off Cape
Flattery, as against four to seven days
in making Seattle under the condi-
tions of calms and strong tides that
usually prevail, and the additional con-
sideration of a saving of wastage of
ice, as the captains maintain, to the
extent of about one ton each trip.
Since the opening of the fish product
company's refrigerator, which is said
to be the largest west of St. Paul, the
captains have signified their intention
of removing their families from Seattle
to Port Angeles before the commence-
ment of the next season's operations,
and this alone will naturally create a
very substantial demand for suitable
tenements."

The present object of Mr. Ritchie's
visit to this Island has been to make
arrangements at Nanaimo for the de-
livery at Port Angeles of large quan-
tities of gill-net herrings during the
herring season, which extends from
November to February, during which
time he calculates they will put up for
export something in the neighborhood
of 100,000 tons of herring, and on this
visit to the coal city, from which he
has just returned, Mr. Ritchie has con-
cluded arrangements with A. R. John-
son & Co. to that effect.

In conclusion Mr. Ritchie stated that
Northern Pacific surveyors are already
in the field and are marking out the

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very shortly.

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three-story stone building by J. J.
Aldwell, collector of customs, and other
buildings are going up in various di-
rections. The opera house building,
at the corner of Front and Lawrie
streets, was lately sold to local parties
for \$35,000.

"Taking all in all," Mr. Ritchie said
in conclusion, "Port Angeles is on the
verge of the most prosperous period of
its history."

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